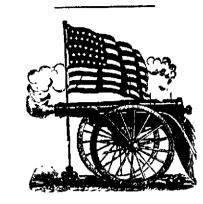
RECEIVED

TO-DAY.



THE CELEBRATED

KNOX HATS

Spring Styles.

The Best on Earth. Call and Examine.

RACE CLOTHING M'F'G CO.

129--135 North Water Street.

Remember that the Best Value for the Least Money can Always be had at the New Store.

S. HUMPHREYS.

TRADE AND FINANCE

Returns from the Leading Money

Clearing Rouses.

New York, March 5.—The followin.

table prepared by Bradstreet's gives the

| 1 | CLEARING HOUSES | Amount | Por Cunt. | |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|--------------------|----------|
| l | | | Inc. | Dec |
| L | New York | \$732,862,790 | 17.4 | |
| ı | Hoston . | 91,471,4341 | 0.83 | |
| ١ | Chirago Philadelphia | 91,000,850 | 20.3 | |
| L | Philadelphia . | 79.842,290 22,765,811 17,227,282 15,778,444 14,349,000 | 10.8 | |
| ł | San Francisco | 17, 227, 292 | | 0 1 |
| ١ | Baltimure . | 15,778,444 | 9.2 | |
| ı | Cincinnuti | 14 349 000 | 53 0; 5.1 | |
| ı | Pittsburgh New Orleans | 14,050,581 9,792,249 | | |
| ı | Kansas City | 0 163 0460 | 8.0 | |
| ł | Bullalo | 7,892,970 7,602,780 7,729,063 | | 1 |
| ł | Louisville | 7 799 1001 | . , •30 | |
| П | Minnenpolia · · · Detroit · | 6,139,280 | 9.1 | |
| 1 | Milwaukoe . | A 710.909 | 20.5 | |
| ı | Ostražia | 5,201,800 | 32.2 | |
| ı | Providence | 5,201,800 5,122,000 4,843,287 6,168,774 | 5.7 1.2 15.5 | |
| ı | Donyer Clovoland | n 163 774 | 12 | |
| ١ | St Paul | | | |
| П | Houston | 0,862,310 | 6 3 | |
| ı | Indianapolia Memphia | 4 946 103 | 14.9 58 4 | |
| 1 | Columbus | 0,882,310 3,760,890 4,246,103 2,771,600 9,500,848 | | 7 |
| П | Richmond | | | |
| ١ | Daltas . | 1,811,800 | ••• | 8 2 |
| ı | Hartford . | 3,868,049 9 D.J. 118 | 55.0 | |
| ١ | Duluto Nashville | 2, 368, 580 9,004, 118 2,006, 231 1,830, 674 | | . 6 |
| 1 | Washington . | 1,820,674 | 4.0 6.0 | (a |
| -1 | St Joseph . | 100 40C | 1 0.0 | i . |
| 1 | Portland (Ore 1 -) | 3,045,643 | 21.6 | |
| -1 | Rachester | 2,190,076 1,510,124 1,002,157 1,180,054 | | 4 |
| -1 | Fait Lake City | 1,002,157 | 1- | 6. |
| -1 | New Haven | 1,180,004 | | 10 |
| ١ | Portland (Mo) | 1,149,400 1,007,500 | | iŏ |
| ١ | Horingfield | 1,227,148 643,564 | | . 2 |
| - 1 | ₩iico . | 642,584 | | j 40 |
| ı | Sloux City | 1,907,225 | : ט | 1 |
| -1 | Fort Worth Norfolk | 757,123 | i : : | 14 |
| - 1 | Wilmmeton (Del) | 1,997,225 757,125 730,090 846,740 | i) | 1 7 |
| - 1 | Lowell | | | Ų . |
| ١ | Grand Rapids | 788,180 | 10. | 942 |
| ı | Seattle Syracuse | 1,1X3U,986 164,138 | 16. | |
| | Des Moines | 911,600 | 10 | a |
| | Tacomic | 1 NST.07 | u | , (B |
| | Lina Angeles | 671,333 750,63 | 80 13A | |
| 1 | Lancoln Wichtta | 1 59/1.90 | DI 16. | ₹) · : |
| | Lectington | 500,300 | 12. | o) |
| | Birmingham | 554,61 |) i | ام ا |
| | New Bedford | 470,600 | 1 2 | 9 |
| | Topoka *(intyeston | 4,908,93 | ن اة | 7''' 8 |
| 1 | *Savananh | 1.614.393 | 3 | 1 |
| П | *Atlanta | 1,373,44 | U | 1 . |
| | *13inghamton | 242,50 | | - |
| | Total United States | \$1,210,820,05 | 8 14. | 5 |
| | Out. to Man York | 18.1 CHC5 1411 | al 10 | 21 |

Diagonal Wool Suiting, price with a spirite with

The huamess failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days, number, for the United States, 208, and for Canada 22, or a total of 240; as compared with 270 last

TRLEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—A burghar, who had been surprised while robbing a Paris wine-shop, shot and killed three men who pursued him as he fied through the street.

insurance, 300,000.

—Grover C. Shaw, a brakeman, jumped headforemost into the tunnel-opening at Eighth and
Spruce street, St. Louis, yestorday, and alighting squarely on his head was instantly killed.
No cause for the suicide can be assigned.

—Abraham and Mark B. Cohen, Jewish
brothers, were fatally burned in their place of
business in St. Louis, yesterday morning at 3:16
celleds with as is ammonat acting fire to their

ions has increased from \$25,463,742 in 1879 to 124,445,561 in 1891. The amount appropriated or 1802 was \$135,014,785

—R. O. Drohan, an inhitual criminal, and 3corgo Wella, alias Williams, who wore servaged from the state prison at Charlestown, Maas, yesterday. They sawed through some cars with a saw made out of a clock spring—in view of the threatened coal strike and coal famine that must surely follow, most of the factories in Lancashire, Cheshire, Durham, Pyneside and other important manufacturing intricts of England are seriously considering

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—In the senate to-day
a communication from the secretary of the interior with reference to the Yellowstone park
was submitted and the rester of defining the
boundaries of that reservation referred to the
committee on public lands.

The cortex research he homes bill constitutions

tion.

The military committee reported favorably bill to establish lineal promotions throughou the sevaral lines of the artillery, cavalry and in fantry of the army.

Mr. Manderson (Neb.) introduced a bill to prevent the issue by corporations or individual of what are known as "trade takens" by which laborers were compeled to take what was called

Indoors were compeled to take what was called "store pay" in compensation for their labor. Referred to the committee on the fulliciary. Mr. Holph (Ore.) gave notice that on Friday Mr. Holph (Ore.) gave notice that on Friday next. If it should be the pleasure of the senate to hear him, he would call up the bill of Senator Stanford to provide a sound circulating medium, for the purpose of submitting nome romarks on the political condition of the agricultural interests of the country and what could be done by legislation to promote their prospority.

Mr Waithall (Miss.) offered a resolution directing the committed on elections to inquire whether further legislation was not necessary to put at rest questions arising as to the construction of the law regulating the time and

United States senate during the reconstruction period. Referred.

Mr Stanford (Cal) introduced a bill authorizing the purchase of silver bullion and the coinage thereof. It directs the secretary of the treasury to purchase silver bullion at a price not exceeding one dollar for 871 25-100 grains of pure silver, and to issue in payment legal tender money "without reference to the material of which it shall be composed, which legal tender money is to be recirable for all debts and public dues Referred.

The senate then resumed consideration of the pure-food bill.

George S. Elliott, of the engineer corps, has been detailed to that duty in his

THE DUNTON MURDER

The Remains of the Victim Disin-

AND HER GHASTLY WOUNDS DISCLOSED

Husband, Who Will Have No Trouble in Proving the Sec-

til 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon was the coffin of Mrs. Frank Dunton opened. Then for the first time sind her injury the relatives saw the dead woman's face. When the body was placed in the coffin at Chicago the face sentable." As the body was placed on an operating table this afternoon it was seen that there were five wounds. was seen that there were five wounds. One was across the bridge of the nose and was a deep depression about an inch long by a half inch wide. Three were close together on top of the head and might have been made by one stroke. The fifth was at the side of the head just over the temple. The examination was conducted by Dr. Henry Palmer, surgeon of the Wisconsin national guard, and Dr. G. W. Chittenden, both of this city.

Later both Drs. Palmer and Chitten-

Later both Drs. Palmer and Chitten den began another autopsy upon the remains of Mrs. Dunton, and did not

CHICAGO, March 5.—Judge Kohlsaat, of the probate court, yesterday granted attorneys declare they will have no difficulty in proving the second will, by which the bulk of the fortune is left to Mrs. Dr. Scudder, to be a forgery

PROHIBITION.

Meeting of the lows State Prohibitio Lincoln, Neb., March 5 .- The Pro nibition state convention for the elec

tion of delegates to the national convention concluded its session last even ing. Interest centered mainly in the selection of chairman of the delegation, and some bitterness was protion, and some bitterness was provoked on account of an alleged effort by recent converts to overthrow the plans of the old workers. Delegates to the national convention were selected.

The platform adopted renews adherence to the cause of prohibition; declares that the right of citizens of the United States to vote should not be de nied or abridged by the United

by the general government only and in sufficient quantity to and in sufficient quantity to meet the demands of business and give full opportunity for employ-ment of labor; and to this end an in crease in the volume of money is decrease in the volume of modes, is the manded; no individual or corporation should be allowed to make any profit through issuing it, it should be made legal tender for all debts; the volume should be fixed at a definite sum per apita, and be made to increase with the increased population; the government should reclaim all unclaime ment should rectain an interaction and forfeited land grants to the railways or other corporations, and such lands, together with the remaining portion of the public domain should be reserved for actual settlers; should be reasered for actual settlers, trusts should be prohibited; a just service pension is recommended; the election of senators, president and vice-president by the direct vote of people is favored. Opposition is declared to all manner of compromise or so-called tion of the suppression of the liquor

raffic is a secondary matter.

Senator Stanford's Silver Bill Washington, March 5.—The bill inroduced yesterday by Senator Stanford to regulate the purchase of silver retary of the treasury to purchase from time to time such silver bullion as may be offered at the market price. not exceeding \$1 for 371% grains of pure silver, and to issue in payment therefor legal tender money of the United States without regard to the of which it is compused. A sufficient amount of such money is to be prepared by the secre tary of the treasury. The money is-sued in accordance with the act is to sued in accordance with the act is to be a legal tender in payment of all debts, public and private, except where otherwise stipulated in con-tracts, and is to be receivable for custracts, and is to be receivable for oustoms, taxes and all public debts, and
is, when so received at the treasury, to
be re-issued, and is to be counted by
national banks as part of their
lawful reserve. The secretary of the
treasury is to coin the silver
bullion so purchased into standard silver dollars to such an amount as may be necessary to supply the general want or convenience of the govern-ment. The silver builion purchased is ment. The silver outling purchased is to be subject to the requirements of existing law and to the regulations of the mint service. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent or in conflict with the bill are to be repealed, and the act is to take offect thirty days after its pas

CHICAGO, March 5.—Secretary Bruner of the Lake-street Elevated Railroad Co. said yesterday that the story to he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve oured him entirely. Sold at King & Wood's drug store.

The Czar has decorated a workman employed at the small-arn factory at Saint-Etienne, who was instrumental in frustrating the designs of the two Englishmen to secure a specimen of the new Russian rife. the effect that a New York dry goods Laj Grippe Buccessfully Treated.

QUAIL are source in Nevada

AFTER THE DUCATS. Meeting of World's Fair People Interested in an Additional Ap-

. W. St. Clair, chairman, and a quo National World's Fair commission met to discuss the questions arising out of the proposed application to congress for an additional appropriation to carry out the project of the exposition. Con-gressman Durburrow, chairman of the house World's Fair committee, was

chiefly to 'ne contents of the bill making the proposed appropriation, whether the money shall be under the control of the National commission or the local directory; whether, in fact, there shall be one or two bills, and if two, whether they shall be introduced simultaneously or at different times; or whether or no the present is the best time for intro-ducing the one bill, if but one be de-

and of the local directory as well, says the probabilities favor on agreement upon one bill, appropriating 35,000,000 to he applied with a subscription of stock. It will not, he said, appear in just that form in the bill, but that is what it will practically amount to. The National commission in return for this, he says, will be ested with some additional powers in connection with the management, that shall satisfy the rovernment that its interest in the fai will be properly protected.

The Behring Sea Conference Ended. The Bohring Ses Conterence Ended.
Washinson's, March 5.—The Behring sea commissioners have concluded their labors and the representatives of Great Britain, Sirs Baden-Powell and Dawson, will leave Washington for their home to morrow morning. While refusing to express an opinion as to the outcome of their mission, Sir Baden-Powell said they greatly enjoyed their stay in Washington and the attentions paid them.

New Style of Coon Hunting

The inhabitants of the mountains west of this place are great coon hunters. Some nights age Bill Benchoff and Some rights ago Bull Benchol and Colonel Yingling started out with half a dozen dogs and two boys to carry the pine torches. A coon was raised on the east side of the Monterey, and the dogs case side of the monterey, and the dogs chased it down through a deep and rough raying and up a rocky spur on the west. After a climb of an hour Benchoff and Yingling at last came up with the dogs. They had run the coon into a tree and were snarling and barking around underneath. The boys

Yingling in the meantime had been tearing paper and trying to ignite a match, but it was damp and would only splutter. Benchoff was deriding him when suddenly a great ball of fire illu-minated space. Yingling had succeeded in igniting his match and was emptying a roman candle into the tree.

The first ball struck a branch and burst and the second hit the coon "plumb center." Its fur caught fire and with a yell it came rolling down among the angry dogs. The third ball ling, with the last ball in the candle, hit the limb on which the third coon clung with pitiful terror, and it lost its hold

and tumbled into the mouths of the waiting dogs.

They got six more coons that night with the help of Yinghing's candles, and now the colonel regularly shoots the romans and Benchoff shoots the gun. They are the most successful coon hunt ers in all the region.—Gettysburg (Pa.)

Sunday morning churchgoers on Reid

the windows of the grocery store on upper Reid avenue. Impelled by curiosity to see what was going on those who approached the window witnessed with a scene of devastation. One large win dow of the store was filled with lamps vases and cr wkery of every description which are given away to purchasers of tea and other articles in the store. In this window the pedestrians saw a small kitten. He and been locked in the store over night, and had made his way into the window filled with crockery. It was terrible to behold the damage which had been done there. The boys outside had succeeded in making the kitten frolic around inside, and at each turn he made some article of crockery would fall with

Handsomo lamps, vases, pitchers and numerous articles were broken to pieces by the antics of the frolicsome kitten. who seemed to be chuckling to himself at the damage he had done. When, crockery in the window had been utter ly destroyed, a policeman strayed along, and the crowd of boys were dispersed. The kitten then settled down in the was soon asleep.—Brooklyn Standard-Union.

CATARRH Almost every one in this cli-

mate has Catarrh of more or less the aristocracy of Berlin, in Ger many, last summer openly debarred all Americans from the best society on the ground that the universal catarrh among them gave the American voice a harshness and stridency that was very annoying to the nerves of the aforesaid aristocracy. This is a singular position to take but it shows how universal this catarrhal trouble is. The best thing for this malady is Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure. It Miles Nerve and Liver Pills.

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miss Pills speedly ourse biliousness, bad tasks, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequaled for men, women, children. Small-tonk, mildest, surest. 30 doses, 25 ots. Samples free, at W. C. Armstrong's drug store.

Bendadier General Thomas L. Cassy, chief of engineers U. S. A., has been relieved from duty with the Lighthouse board, at his own request, and Colonel George S. Elliott, of the engineer corps, has been detailed to that duty in his stead.

Laj Grippe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from a second attack of the grip this year," says Mr. Meris, Texas. "In the latter case I used to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days, against ten days for the first attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy, as I had to go to bed in shout six bours after being struck with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down." 50 cent bottles for sale it, they can get it of any whole-stead to that duty in his stead.

Ought are severe in Nawada.

BUILDING * SALE.

\$50,000.00+

WORTH OF

+CLOTHING+

Which must be sold out before June 1st, as we expect to commence tearing down our present building about that time. In order to sell out this stock we are offering it to the public at

Absolute First Cost to Us.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.

Everything Goes. No Reserve. Bargains in Everything.

STINE CLOTHING CO.

Decatur, Illinois.

***SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT.** ◆

CARPETS!

We are pleased to say to all who expect to buy or who are interested that we have placed on sale

The Handsomest, Largest and Best Assorted Line of Carpets

EVER SHOWN IN THIS CIT And at Prices you cannot fail to appreciate

> Moquettes, Body Brussels, Velvets, Tapestry, 3-Ply Ingrain, 2-Ply Ingrain, Nottingham Lace Curtains, Irish Point Lace Curtains, Swiss Tambour Curtains, Brussels Net Curtains, WINDOW SHADES,

A complete Line of Drapery Fixtures.



Acents Jonvin Kid Gloves and Heminway Silks.

OOL

es,

ttas. nes.

ICE

erferse of

入米 them ever.

bus, of mpari-

AM

When looking for a Watch investigate the qualities of the

ROCKFORD.

We have these Celebrated

WATCHES

In all varieties, and the prices are no higher than inferior goods of other manufacture.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO

GOOD READING For Cold, Dull Days.

SO DON'T FAIL TO NOTICE THIS. TOWNE & BEIK, the lending groters of this city are striving hard and making Extraordinary Low

Prices on Groceries for a share of your trade.

at that prove \$120 for 50 pour book II at Prove on good Bour. Pillsbury's Best at 31 10 for all pour is American Standard Sone S bars for Zon big bergain, where our Konnik.

American Standard Sone S bars for Zon big bergain, will worth 12 to.

Palm Leaf, It bars for Zon Paxton Corn, 10e nor can

Don't forgat that we not the to-

Don't forgat that we are the leaders in dezen.

ma, por gallon. Have you tried our Tountoes which Paxton Corn, 10e per can, \$1.10 per Dried Fruit. You can get anything in that line you want at our place, and at prices to suit all.

California Fruines.

Stro

California Fruines the management Combine of the control of t We sall nothing but first class goods, Stip Chysics a small order to-day and you

+TOWNE & BEIK,+ 150 Merchant Street.

PETER H. BRUECK,

Real Estate Broker and Notary Public,

| OFFICE, 230 WEST MAIN STREET, DECATOR, 110% | |
|---|--|
| Vacant Lots on Haworth Avenue, | 200 225 276 500 500 575 |

Would take about one half of the latter in good house and let in Decatur of Acres, Nucly Polling, ' miles from city, \$15 per acre. All of the above farms are within one hour's drive of Decatuc.

Two holes that real for \$1 per month to exchange for eastail property. If you have any property for cale or want to buy it will pay you to call. Horse and burgy always ready to show properties.

---PETER H. BRUECK.--

Real Estate Broker.

OFFICE 230 WEST MAIN STREET, DECATUR, ILL.

BORROWERS AND INVESTORS.

| Equitable Building and Loan

Society of Peoria, Ill.

Class C, 40c Per Month Per Share.

an engal basis.

Class B, one Per Month Per Share. Class A, \$1.20 Per Month Per Share.

GENERAL AGENT,

Administrator' Notice.

Administrator' Notice.

Salate of William C. Walker, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of William C. Walker, late of theounty of Macon and state of Himols, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the April terin, on the first Moudey in April terit, at which time all persons invited dislate spatials, and the sale was to be supposed to be supposed to said estate are requested to make immediate parament to the budersigned.

Dated this isth day of February, 1892.

[6018-03w]

ONE OF A. PHILLIPS & CO.'S Wabash-Rock Island TOURIST EXCURSION

ST. LOUIS, MO. BY THE RSDAY OF ST. LOUIS, MO. BY THE WASHING R. R. (Incorporated Under the Laws of III.) THIS CAR JOINS THE

Phillips Boston and California EXCURSION . TRAIL

KANSAS CITY, PRODAY at 10 35 n. m. And goes through to CALLEGENTA, WASHING CON. The Society manes propaid and paid-Safety and high profit to investors.

OREGON, COLORADO AND ALL WESTERN POINTS, VIA THE

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC Book is non-taxable, non-forfeitable, DENVER & RIO GRANDE R. R.

is good for collateral security, is a cash setate in case of death, and is saleable and transferable the The Great Scenic Line of the World. same as other preperty. Through Broad Guge Cars, Best Ser It always has a cash withdrawable value ice, Lowest Rules it precedes all others. Financial Statement sent on applica

conductors.
Shaping libritis can be secured and reserved in the car, and further information, by applying to A PHILLIPS A TO , not born bosch st. Al. LOUIS, Sec., or any offices of the WARLSH R. R. or A. DERWOOD SMITH. FACKSONVILLE SOI THE ISTERN R. R. Box 583, Peoria, Illinois.

Sheriff's Sale.

BIGTHES SRIO.

By virtuo of no execution to me directed and delivered by the clock of the Creuit Court of M was concernly filliants, in layor of Jarrel T. Newman and a salust Charles F. Kriney. I have leveled again the following described property, for wit I M multiplied one half of lot ten (10), blue six (10), of Kaitroad addition to the fown of Mare, county of Maren and state of Illinois, taken as the property of the said Charles F. Kinery, which I state offer a public sale at the four of the west stan way leading to the citratt pour room in Decatur in Macon county, in said state, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. at of said day, for cash in hand to satify and expension.

Dated this 4th day of Kenney, A. D. 1897.

LITTLE is now heard of Moore and Cockrell. They have been used as long as needed, laid away, and have become

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

B. K. HAMSHER, | W. P. GALBOUN.

HAMSHER & CALHOUR, Prop're

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Sintered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois second class mail matter.

SATURDAY EVE., MARCH 5, 1892.

ILLINOIS Democrats must understand that no presidential lotion is genuine unless the name "John M. Palmer" is blown in the bottle.

The largest of the legislature of New York by David B. Hill strikes the southern Demograte as an evidence of great wisdom and sound Demogracy (on the part of David.

WHEN David B. Hill makes his tour of

sion in the army because an eastern man was placed in command of the Army of the Tennessee. Will be resign his position as suator and leave the Democratio party if an eastern man is nominated for President" It is to be hoped that he

Govanson Firza was mistaken when i few days ago he said in Chicago that Efficien county would be solid for im. That county has selected and instructed a solid Clark delegation. Bu he thevernor has the satisfaction of knowing that others before him have

Tun Indiagapolis court has restored control of the street car property to the where and the owners are proposing to run the business as it was run before and will make no concessions to the men nor amend any of their rules. If this course is persisted in the chances are that Indianapolis will be travelling on its feet again shortly.

Jupou Continu has promptly denied the statements attributed to him concorning the governorship, wherein he was made to speak lightly of the infinence of the country in a convention, and also burlesquad the candidacy of Governor Fifer. Mr. Collins says no such interview ever took place and that he made no such remarks as attributed to him in any interview or at any time.

another Democratic nomines in the field It will samply heat the Democracy to every northern state and give the Repub licans a bigger majority in the electors college than they have had thus far since 1872. Let the Republican apposition t free silver be manifested when the bi-comes up for passage in the House, bu-not earlier.

The leadon of the Docator Decorracy have deer not unat the voters of the pasty in stinil not have an opportunity to vote for regular party nominees at the coming city election. They have concluded that a partisan ticket is not exactly the proper thing at a city election wherein only aldermen ere to bael cted; but this will not deceive many people in Decatur who recall the fact that only two years

gots there, like David B. Hill, "he is a l Demograt," and whenever his vote is Whisky Trust officers, have given bull at needed to advance the interests of his

party it is always ready. We suggested that our Democration friends have concluded that a partisan ticket when only aldermen are to be elected is not proper, but you will find these same leaders, when the city election of 1893 approaches, making a fight for the offices. It will, with them, be proper then, and it might be interesting to Republicans too, if by the nonpartisat scheme the Democrate have adopted, they should slip in an alderman or two

rom Republican wards. Republican aldermen hold over in the 1, 3d, 4th and 7th wards, and Democrats old over in the lat, 5th and 6th. On the nonpartisan plan they have adopted they will see that the nonpartisan elected ntench of the Democratic wards is a Damperat, and they will make a speak on the 1st ward for the alderman from it. Should they get him they would tie the council, and should this scheme work as well as it has done in the past, they AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$50,000,000 might slip in an alderman from some strong Republican ward which would MATURED SHARES, Each, - - \$100 strong the control of the council for the

next two years in spite of all the Repub-The only safe thing for the Republicaus to do is to make straight party nominations and elect the nominees wehnever they have power to do it. Whenever a Democrat asks you to

Money returned in monthly pay. stop and listen to him preach nonpartiments by borrowers, like rent. san grace you can just put it down that LET No preferred stock --all members on he is either afraid of you or else wants to get (you interested in his preaching while some other Democrat elips around the house and knocks your persimmons A New Prohibition Candidate.

Speaking of the qualifications, as a candidate for President on the Prohibition ticket of W. J. Demores, who has een mentioned in that connection by Prohibitionists, and who conducts a ladies fashion magizine in New York, he Chicago Evening Journal says: Mr. Demorest has wealth, which would endear him to those who are politicians for revenue only, and render him not un-pleasing to the politicians for principle and incidential revenue. These of course, are minor matters, but they are all favorable to this candidady, and there-

all (avorable to this candidady, and therefore should be overlooked by his partisans and friends. In the greater matters, meaning thereby the matters of the
intellect, Mr. Demorest is no less completely fixed. He is unalterably opposed to the liquor, as to every other
devil, and issues gold medals to children
who denounce in poetry the curse of rum
and scours subscriptions to his magazine.
On the tariff question his views are orig-

For Boliz, Dimplos carbuncles, serofulous sores,

debility, and that

KIRK'S

A LAUNDRY SOAP, PURE AND SANITARY

BEST FOR

General Household Use.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to select delegates to attend a County Convention to be held at the Court House in Decautir, on the 22d day of April, 1892, at it o'clock a, m., for the purpose of reorganizing the County Contril Committee and selecting fourteen delegates to each of the following Conventions, to with the following Conventions, to with the Spring.

To the State Convention, to be held in Spring.
To the Congressional Convention, to be hereafter called, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

Convention.

The representation is said Convention will the based upon the Republican vote cast for Predent Harrison in 1888, being one delegate for every fifty or fraction of twenty-five votes cover.

Each district or trwnship will be entitled to following delegates, to-wit:

convention as ensurous for their district and representative on the County Republican Cen-ral Committee. The new Committee will neet immediately af-er the Convention to organize for the cam-

arga. By order of the County Republican Central committee.

M. F. KANAN, Chairman, John B. Bannes, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP CONVENTION

A Republican Township Convention will

Saturday, March 19, 1892,

at 7.30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination estudiates to be voted for at the Township silection to be nich on Tuesday. April 5, 1892. The representation of said Convention will be based upon the Republican voic cast for President Harrison in 1888, and will be as fol-

By order of the Decatur Township Centra Committee. M. F. KANAN, Chairman.

The Republicans of the several Districts Decatur Inwastin are requested to meet from the several places are requested to meet from the several places are represented from the purpose electring their proper number of delegates terresent the respective districts in a Repub

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVERTION.

Clovernor, Lieutenant-Covernor, Secretary of State, Auditor of Public Accounts State Treasurer.

t District..

Decatur, 1st District...

inal, but sound; indeed, he does not heattate to say that an empire gown of ivery eatin with a gathered frill around the edge of the akirt, pale blue creps du chene sashes round the short waist, and puffed sleeves edged with white point de Venies to match the yoke, makes an effective toilette for a bridesmaid. As to the energing of the sailer Mr. Democratic of the sailer Mr. Democratic professions of the sailer Mr. Democratic professions of the sailer of the sailer Mr. Democratic professions of the sailer Mr. Democratic professions of the sailer matches of the sailer Mr. Democratic professions of the sailer matches of the sailer m eczema, and all other effective toilette for a bridesmaid. As to the question of free silver Mr. Demorest differs from many other leaders of thought, but his ideas seem to us to be whooly unobjectionable. In a recen-issue of his magazine he went on record in these words: "A large, feather-like ornament made of pearls and diamonds is sometimes worn instead of a damond tiars. Silver and diamonds make a very good combination, and are somewhat blood diseasec. Ayer's Sarsaparilla relieve and cure dyspepsia, nervous

tired feeling. Has Cured Others will cure you.

Deafness Can't be Cured When David B. Hill makes his tour of the South it will be in order for the northern Democrat to put his ear to the ground and listen for the rumbling from the old confederacy.

John M. Palmen resigned his commission in the semy because an eastern man specified by the seminary to the condition of the mucous lining of the Eusthein Tube. When this tube gets unfined you have a rumbling sound or find the semy because an eastern man specified by local applications, as a they can not reach the disease portion of the ear. There is only one way to ourse deafness is caused by an indimed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustheim Tube. When this tube gets unfined you have a rumbling sound or find the care. flamed you have a rumbling sound or imperiest hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forevor; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but as nutlamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that we can not cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Bend for circulars, free.

F. J. Cherky & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggiste, 750.

Mr. Gasen, colored, presided over Ohio state sanate on Monday, and joyed the distinction of being the

red man to till the position Romarkable Facts.

Romarkable Facts.

Heart disease is usually supposed to be incurable, but when properly treated a large proportion of cases can be cared. Thus Mrs. Elmira Hatch, of Elkhart, Ind., and Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., were cured after suffering 20 vears. S. C. Limburger, druggist at San Jose, Ill., says that Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure which cured the former, "worked wonders for his wife." Levi Logan, of Buchanar, Mich., who had heart disease for 30 vears, any a two bottles made him feel So years, says two bottles made him feel like "a new man." Dr. Miles' New Heart Qure soold and guaranteed by W. C. Armstrong. Book of wonderful testimonials free.

PROF. B. C. STEINER, of Williams College, Mass., succeeds his father, the late Dr. Steiner, as librarian of the Pratt Library Relumner.

Happy Hoosiers.

Sr. Locis Clobe-Democrat: The Republicans can not affard to assist the anti-sliver Democrats in the effort to side-track the free coinage bill. No obstructions should, by the Republicans, be placed in the way of the thorough discussion of the measure. If the bill comes up in the House it will pass that body, be put in the Democratic platform and be made an issue in the canvass. This will cause a bolt in the Democrator. The bott may not be lond, and it assuredly will not be the means of putting another Democratic nomines in the field.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for the bad feeling arising from the place-says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, cuys: Electric Bitters to be the meter like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, cuys: Electric Bitters to be the meter like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, cuys: Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for the bad feeling arising from the state with the place-says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, cuys: Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for the bad feeling arising from the same and stockman, of the same place-says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, cuys: Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, and seven than all other medicines combined, for the bad feeling arising from the bad feeling arising fro Happy Hoosiers.

Two hundred jurors have been summoned to the trial, on Monday, of Edward M. Field, in New York. A Romarkable Cure of Rheum-

ntism.

Mess, Cage and Sherman, of Alexander, Texus, writes us regarding a remarkable oure for rhenmatism there as follows:
"The wife of Mr. Wm. Pruitt, the Postmaster here, had been bed-ridden with rhenmatism for several years. She could get nothing to do her any good. We sold her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and she was completely cured by its use. We refer any one to her to verify this statement." E0 cent bottles for eale at Neisler's Pharmacy.

000 gold coin to Europe to-day, maki the total since February 19, 84,315,326.

Buckiens Arnica Salve. who recall the fact that only two years ago, when under the non-partison plan a majority of Democrate broke into the city council, that party boasted of the tact that the council was Damocratio.

It makes no difference, under what pretense or pretext, a Democrate secures like lection to the council, when he cace that the council, when he cace that the council was Damocratic like lection to the council, when he cace that the council was Democrate secures like lection to the council, when he cace that the lection to the council, when he cace that the council was pretented to give parted satisfaction, per box. For eale by King & Wood, days that the council was pretented to give parted satisfaction, per box. For eale by King & Wood, days that the council was pretented to give parted satisfaction, per box.

CET THE BEST. on want Dr. John Bull's Sursapurdia, id it and take no other. It contains in-nts that are not found in any other willa. Each ingredient used in Dr. JOHN BULL'S

Or. JOHN BULL'S
Sarsapartila is closen for its in nedecent effectuon the human system. Contidued, they exert a harmonizing influence upon every function of the body, improving digestion strengthening the liver and kidneys, cleansing the blood of poisonous matter, southing the nervous system, collivening the mental faculties, and in a word, by influsing new strength and life, completely relavenney very partain makes one feel like a new person. No other SARSAPARILLA

ins so good an effect. Elmer Hodson, Alva-tado, Tex., writes: "My strength and health had been failing me for several years, bly blood was in a very impoverished condition and very impute. My limbs felt lame, rickety and rhoumatic, and I could not walk without tottering. I felt myself growing prematurely 2.1, and my face began smaller ble, was rest-virtiveled. I see the proposition of the was restshrivehed. I suffered consumerance, was con-less at night, very nervous, and growing very melancholy. My eyes were sore and I had entarris. I tried many tonics, and bitters and blood purifiers, but failed to get better. I

Sarsaparilla, and he replied Dr John Bull's. I hought six bottes, and before I had used it. full I futtalke another man. Mystrength and health improved, pimpies and sores disap-peared from my person, aches and stiff join-

Use **Smith**'s **Tonic Syrup**, a safe and are care for **Chills** and Fever. Dr. John Bull's Worm Destroy rs taste good and quickly remove worm: w twice good and quickly remove worms in children or grown people restoring the aid and puny to robust health. Try them, ather worm inclicing so safe and sire, or 35 cents at drug stores, or sout by mail 157m D. Park & Hons Co., 175 and 177 Syen-ft, "Inclination, wholesale agents.

KING & WOOD, Agents. Dress Goods Sale

That will both Astonish and Please. We have a Large Lot of Choice Miscellaneous BRESS GOODS that are just right for present sales which MUST GO.

\$1.25 Value for \$1.00. \$1.00 Value for 75c. 75c Value for 50c. 50c Value for 40c.

40c Valuetfor 30c. 35c Value for 25c. FIRST CHOICE MOST GENERALLY THE BEST. Come and see them and you will most certainly buy Don't miss this chance.

de Hatchi Bra.

+ARCADE.+AT SCOVILL'S

Just Received, a large line of GENTS' BALBRIG-GAN UNDERWEAR, Medium weight Shirts and Drawers, REGULAR VALUE, 75c, OUR PRICE

ONLY 50c.

GENTS' PARTY AND THEATER TIES

In all the Latest Novelties.

Teck Scarfs for 24c, Regular Value, 50c. Teck Scarfs for 44c, Regular Value, 75c.

Also WHITE MUSLIN STRING TIES, BOWS AND SCARFS.

GENTS' 4-PLY LINEN COLLARS, Turndown and Stanley, for 10c each—3 for 25c.

Only 15c a Pair.

GENTS' 4-PLY LINEN CUFFS,

THE ARCADE,

Corner North Main street and Lincoln Square EVERYSTREET CARRUNS TO THIS CORNER.

BARGAIN COLUMN

Por Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc. WANTED—Either four boarders or four roomers; also dressmaking done to order at 127 East Jefferson street. 4diw*

DOSITION WANTED in a first-class Drug L. Store by young man 21 years old, who has taken juntor term in Illinois College of Phar-macy, Chicago, and desires to learn practical experience. Oan furnish good reference. Will work for resonable wages. Write to H. LEE, Rossville, Vermillon Co., Ill. 2 diw*

DUSINESS STORE FOR RENT-The bus ness store, 22x80, at 249 South Park stree second roun east of the Pr. Stoner trug stor tately accupied by Williams & Son, grocers, for rost, Apply to C. W. Moutgomery or R. Marlin. mech 26

FOR SALE—160 acres one and one-half mile west of Walker, three miles southwest of Macon; one mile from school, See or address O. T. KIRK. 27-diw-wit. Blue Mound, Ill. DOR SALK-824 acres, 1% miles west of Blue Mound, well taled and fenced, well improved see or address O. T. KIRK, Blue Mound, Ill. feb27-dl wl FOR SALE.—\$200 cash will buy a reven-room house in good repair. Inquire at 459 Ear 3radford street.

WANTED-This week, a girl to do house work, no washing. Call at 440 Wes Main street. 29-6 WANTED-Farmers to know that J. T. Nichots has leased the A. Culp wag in and feet yard, at the corner of South Water and East Wood street, formerly in charge of Wal Baker.

WANTED—A boy and girl, to serve as ap printices in a bookbindery. Apply arence to N. Spies, No. 127 South Water street. janus-ti FOR SALK-Hesidence property, No. 371, cor-ner of Wood and Edwards streets, three blocks west of Imboden's meat market, heav German Lutheran church. House has three good rooms. Good well and elstern on prem-less, Inquire at residence. 29-d6* DUSINESS OHANCE.—95 acres to Sullivan county, Ind., ax miles of county sent; gravel roads, for sate at a mergate. This form his sold for \$41,000 and brings good rant; price if taken within ten day, \$0,000 and bulkey. FOR SALE OR THADE-Thirty-two screeds

Office.

FOR SALE-Two splendid prairie 160 nere farms near Decatur. One can be had March Also 400 acre best farm in Douglas count; best diff. JOHN A. BROWN.

R. O. Rosen, Architect and Builder. Office Rooms 1 and 2. W. II. (IRENDOR, is building a two-story building in two-story buildings allowed on State street which will be for rent about the 1st of next March. The building is 45x20 feet. H OBSE CLEANING — Headquarters for House cleaning, and Uphoistery of all kinds at 153 West Fraint St.—upstairs. Montgomery & Hammons Salisfacon guaranteed.

dec21-6if
COMPETENT Spanish teacher. Address No
343 Vest Macon street, Decatur, Ill.
jan25-liff THE DECATT R NURSHEN will save you for per cent, on trees, small fruit and other plants. All stock guaranteed. Don't be misled by foreign agents. Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, noar fair grounds, Becauter.

touse on Saturday evening, March 19, at 7.30 / 2000 for etc. 4. Richardson's Drug Store, corner kinning and Calhon streets. 24 District—At Lee Gill's Grocery Store on North Broadway.

101 District—At the Thatcher Block on North Water Street.

4th District—At Hundricke's Wagon Shop on Grann street. 4th Divinct—At Hendricke's Wagon Shop on Green street.

At R. J. Ross' Grocery Store on West Main street.

6th District—At Mills Bros. Law Office.

5th District—At City Council Rooms.

5th District—At Street Car Stables.

5th District—Ar Street Car Stables.

5th District—Ar Street Car Stables.

5th District—Ar Martin's Coal Office on East Ridorado Street.

15th District—At J. G. Starr & Bon's Wholeshee Store.

By order Decator Township Council Council. UTGHT

ADIES try Le Duc's Periodical Pills from
L Paris, France. Acts only on the menstrual
system and positively cures suppression of the
mensus from colds, shock See. A reliable
monthly medicine, marranted to relieve. Price
82: three for \$5. THE AMERICAN PILL AND
MEDICINE Co., proprietors, Spencer, lows. By order Decatur Township Central Commit ist District—P. J. Drmpber.
2d "Frank Rodnins.
3d "J. T. Hubbard.
4th "D. T. Shernan.
5th "Harr Midgiff.
5th "Harr Midgiff.
7th "John A. Barnes.
8th "A. H. Mill.
9th "A. Middonnan.
1th "A. Middonnan.
1th "A. Middonnan.
1th "A. Middonnan.
1th "T. J. Osbohn.

HUNDREDS of bushels of ear corn at the Northwestern Feed Mill. Gats and all kinds of ground feed at lowest prices. 78 North College street. College street. [ulyze-dif

WANTED—Second-hand stoves: and furni
ture, for which we will pay cash. Bargain,
in second-hand goods,
WALKER & CHANCE,
aug28-dtf 135 and 137 North Main St. FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Saloon n good location, doing good business. Will be solid cheap for cash. Will trade for land or city property. Address "Z," City. deci7-city

TOR SALE—Brick residence, 14 rooms, gas water, and steam best, 69 feet front, corner North Mais and Eldorado streets, No. 456. C. P. HOUSUM. P. MOUSUM.

I ADIES HAIR WORK-In every style worn, and ventilated curis, trizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty.

MRS. BUWMAN, Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store.

WANTED—An active reliable man, salary
\$70 to \$50 mouthly with increase, to represent in his own action a responsible New
York house. References. MANUFACTUERR,
deel2 Lock Box 1585, New York M CNRY TO LOAN—in large or small amounts
M. Loans made on live stock, farm machinery,
or household goods. Call and see me before
piacing your loans. Office 29 North Water St.,
above Feddecord, Burrows & Co.'s bank,
janis-dif. J. W. REDMAN

Auditor of Public Accounts
State Treasurer.
Attorney General the University of Illinois.
Three Trustees of the University of Illinois.
Three Trustees of the University of Illinois.
Four Presidential Electors.
Two Congressmen-st. Large.
Also for the selection of eight delegates attage and eight alternates at large to represent the state in the National Republican convention to be held at Minneapolis, Minn. June 7, 1822, and for the transaction of such other business as may propariy come before it.
Thie basis of representation for the several counties will be held in the ratio of one delegation of the conversion of the selection of the several dential Electors in 1838, and one for each fraction thereof of too legations to votes; provided the delegate from Cook county, so elected, shall be called and shall vote by sensatorial districts, and the several wards and carte of wards, contributed to the second of Chicago, to have their proportional frepresentation so far as is practicable. TOREY to roan in large and small amounts.
Loans made on live stock, farm imple ments, or bousehold goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 8 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SURERERS, rooms 10 and 11, Fenton Block, over Bradley Bros. Store.
Talenbons 52.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT.

SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH. Special Engagement. THE GREAT

RENEE DE MORAY PRICES-25c, 50c, /5c and \$1.00 BOXES-#5.00 and \$4 00. The sale of sents will began at the Grand Opens House Phatmacy, Thursday morning, March at.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY. Wednesday Evening, March 8

AN EVER-WELCOME STAR

New Play That Has Scored a Hit! The Young American Star

Under the Management of Col.W. E. Sinn

In Clinton Stuart's Very Successful Play WILL SHE DIVORCE HIM? PERIOD - THE PRESENT.

Scene of Action NEW YORK and NEWPORT. PRICES:-25c, 50c, 75c, and \$1.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT, THURSDAY, MARCH 10

STETSON'S BIG SPECTACULAR INCLE TOM'S CABIN! THE BARNUM OF THEM ALL.

CARLOS be B'ggest Dog in the World-\$1,000 Offered for His Equal. Two Topsies?

Kate Partington.

Two Marks Eva and Her Pony, "Prince" Lone Star Quariet, African Mandelin Players New Music Everything New, Carload of Haat titl Seenery. The Great Steamboat Seene, Cot in Picking, Home in the South, Ewi's Accensio The Grandest Street Parade Ever Give PRICES --- 25, 50 and 76 Cents The sale of seats will begin at the Grant Opera House Pharmacy Tuesday morning March 8.

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement. STATE OF ILLINOIS, 188. Estate of George F. Kessler, Decensol. to the Heirs of Satal Estate:

To the Heirs of Satal Estate:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, Marel 7th, 1892, the underskined administrator of saic estate, will present to the County Court of saic county, at Decatur, Binota, hie final report o his acts and doings as such administrator, an ask the court to be descharged from any and alforder lightening the background without destate, and the country of the said of the sai

Administrator's Notice. Adiministration a notice.

Ratate of Casper Elwood, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrators of the estate of Casper Elwood, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the May term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

dried.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1892.
FRANK ELWOOD,
W. H. ELWOOD,
meh5-d3w S. L. STERRETT, ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE-Over thePostoffee,Detailtr,lij.

Find Everything to Furnish a House with *THIS SPRING*

Will need—FURNITURE, CARPETS AND RUGS, CURTAINS, Lace and Portiers. STOVES, Coal and Oil. REFRIGERATORS and Ice Boxes.

DINING-ROOM SETS, DISHES and Chamber Sets. **Bed-Room Suits and Folding Beds.** Book Cases and Desks, Parlor Suits, Couches, Etc. And hundreds of other articles.

If you don't see what you want ask for it. He has Seven Floors filled with goods that will be sold at the Lowest Prices and on the Easiest Terms.

≣G. W. SCOVILI.,=

211-215 South Park Street. COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHER ON PASY PAYMENTS.

WE HAVE

Now On Sale,

500 PAIRS

SELZ, SCHWAB & CO.'S Genuine Hand-Sewed Shoes

FOR GENTLEMEN.

The regular prices of these Elegant FOOT-FORM SHOES are \$5.00 and **\$6.00** a Pair.

THEY GO AT

All Widths and Sizes, A to EE. FIVE DIFFERENT STYLES OF LASTS.

*Avail Yourselves of this GREAT SALE. ● WATCH OUR WINDOWS.

WAGGONER & DOWNING, Post Office Shoe Store.

OPERA HOUSE BAKERY.

Try Our Bread.

Wedding and Party Cakes a Specialty.

J. H. KREBS.

Telephone 410.



lf You Want Good Bread ALWAYS ASK YOUR DEALER FOR ONE OF THESE BRANDS OF FLOUR.

They are the best in the market. Every sack guaranteed. For sale by all grocers.



.₩

J. B. BULLARD, PUNERAL DIRECTOR.



※采[]nmnl.

HE BEST. New Tan Sh

BO Stiff I

NE

SPRING =

Every Hat

DR. F DECA Thuistaji. Marc

ST NICHOL



DR. A

tarch and ay ' Free Cxami Remarkable have been . + .

REM

STANDARD Decati

BIG

PRESER

PLEME

he Chrishrist, the urpose of lured for oral gov-ell upon an be no family is ernment.

ptio**n** th**a**t

nily, with l at large, ment. If e nature. and your oral rela-

in consebe moral t will you. end in ite notion system of ts simply end to be nd; and if ory of our

al governworld for

n right in in history. your own l in itself, great failes governhat ninety the United crime and ntiary and a resum hings con-

eneration, , it would ome to the itates gov-

Firms to us al governen teaches d hopeless

ery of this its natural ar the sufhe ends, or suffered to

man. In-Christ sufthe moral is say that set the reire. It is says, "The on, cleanshat it says, od there is just simply

to a life of tht thereby I men, and drawn to sympathy; ich of the heart and and won κđ. to disclos y of the diorbearance

n of men sted sufferred any remgry venge himvectly, ten-l good for ted him; he ; he prayed m, and in moral and tined in its touch all and transsimply the oil of Jesus

sìn. n all have about that there material t from any that blood rat in some all particle innermost

from sin. Do you have some such no-tion as that? The truth is, that the blood all the way through the bible is simply a symbol of life. In the early simply a symbol of life. In the early ages of Hebrew history, men were forbidden to eat blood because life was in the blood, and when we read of the the blood, and when we read of the shedding of the blood of Christ we are to understand simply that he sacrificed his life in order to give life to our world; that he gave up his life in order that he might generate in the hearts of men such love for him, such a religious pas-sion, that they would want to be like sion, that they would want to be like him; and that life of his, in its essence, in its principle, was love. And so we read that "God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoseever believed in him should not

whosever believed in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Now then, as a result of this, the inner touch of this spiritual life that comes in contact with men through the sacrifice and death of Christ, generates in man's heart the new life. In other words, the soul or spirit becomes regenerated, and that regenerated life unfolds itself in a consummated Christian character that we call sanctification, and that sanctification unfolds itself in a life of immortality that we call glorification, and the object of Christ's coming, and suffering, and death, was to regenerate, sanctify and glorify human nature, and he does this by the power of love.

nature, and he does this by the power of love.

And now, let us come back to this other thought. It is true the suffering of Jesus Christ satisfied divine justice, but what does divine justice demand? Well, it demanded of God, that when he took upon himself the awful responsibility of making this world of ours, he should know beforehand that he could make a good job of it. He felt the responsibility of what he was about to do, just as you do. You have a little capital. You propose to organize a joint stock company for the carrying on of some great enterprise. You put in your own capital—you persuade your friends to invest in this enterprise. There is the result of financial success on one hand, on the other hand there is the possibility of financial wreckage and failure. You them all; if I restuce them to poverty and want, what an awful responsibility that will be; it is in my hands, shall I do it?" You look the ground over—you see the way to success—you say. "I can take my own money, and the money of my neighbors, and the money of that orphan child, and that widow woman, and I can direct this enterprise along lines of development so successfully that I can bring ultimate good out of it to every one who has embarked in the enterprise." You take the responsibility. Something of this sort we must suppose as presenting itself to the divine mind in connection with the proposition which God made to himself to create this world of ours. There were two possibilities opened up before him—the possibility of developing a race of intelligences that should unfold its history in harmony with its purpose and his plans, and coming to a state of ultimate glorification in their individual and social development. On the other hand, there was the possibility of moral and spiritual wrackage, the possibility of endless ruin for a race. And with these that could smite the human heart and hight human life, the possibility of endless ruin for a race. And with these two possibilities before him fold proposed to himself to make this world. He said: "Sin will come, sin will make its thousands of years of development, but I can initiate a scheme of redemption that will ultimately counteract and overcome the force of sin, and destroy and otterly annihilate it, and bring out of it a great good that could not evercome without it. And so God proposed to himself to make this world, and take this history of sin, and out of it bring at last a glorious paradise, and so we have as the result of this.

THE HISTORY OF REDEMETION, and it passed through three, it ages.

and it passed through three; stages. First, there was the stage of spontaneous impulse.

Did it ever occur to you—you know it from reading the bible, you must have thought of it if you have thought seriously of the history of this book—that two thousand years, (we are supposed to have a world six thousand years old), one-third of the period of our world passed by, and nothing was done for it religiously at all.

The God of our fathers, of our bible, and of our christianity, so far as we

years oit), one-third of the period of our world passed by, and nothing was done for it religiously at all.

The God of our fathers, of our bible, and of our christianity, so far as we know, for two thousand years did nothing for this world. He just let it alone, let men go their own way, do as they pleased, develop their own history of sin, have their hitter experiences, and at last the deluge came and swept them all away, and then after that for a thousand years he left them to struggle along. From the time of Noah down to the time of Moses man just felt his way and groped around here and there, and worshiped God in any way almost that he felt like doing. God gave him no directions, no instructions, no religious teaching whatever. It was the period of spontaneous impulse. Man was let alone trying his hand at his own recovery from sin. First, for two thousand years, he made a history of sin, drank in all its pleasures, all its experiences, all its sorrows, and he was let absolutely alone. And then for a thousand years he was trying to work his way back, feeling his way up and out toward God by the shedding of blood, by the offering of sacrifices, by building aftars, by the performance of religions rights in any way that he himself could conceive of, and without any divine guidance whatever. And then there was a change in the history of religion, another stage of development which I will call the Educational stage of redemption.

The history of redemption took upon itself a definite form in the Levice.

call the Educational stage of the tion.

The history of redemption took upon itself a definite form in the Israelitish nation by the organization of a church, a priesthood, rituals and religious history, and this lasted for a thousand years; and while these people were being educated religiously, the same Supreme mind that rules over all was educating the Greeks in culture and philosophy and the beginning of science and learning; and while this was being done the same Supreme power of the universe was educating the Romans in the NewsexpreBECSIVE&com

development of political eco.
when the school period of the Heurehad passed, and the school period of the
Greeks had passed, and the schoo
period of the Romans had expired, th
three systems came together—Hebrev
religion, Greek culture and Roman
jurisprudence—and they made on
grand system of civilization, and out o
the union of the three Christianity

jurisprudence—and they made one grand system of civilization, and out of the union of the three Christianity was developed, and this brings us to the third stage in the history of redemption, the period of individual action.

You go back of this, and during the educational period man himself had no individual liberty—religion was performed for him by the appointed furtionary. If he wanted to make his peace with God he must make it through the priesthood and the organized and developed system of religion that belonged to his people. He went with his gift to the altar, paid his fee, and the priest made for him his offering, and he went away feeling that through that system he had been reconciled to God and brought into right relations with him. Man had no individual liberty in those days, but when Christianity was born the priest and the altar were dispensed with, the old educational system was done away with, and each man was permitted to approach the Holy of Holies of the divine presence for himself, without the priest, without the sanctuary.

by rituals, not by you will find peace tly communing wi not by rituals, not by priestly forms, but you will find peace with God by secretly communing with him in the depths of your own spirit, and whenever you come into the right condition of mind and heart, when your will is surrendered to the will of God, when your heart opens to the secret touch of his spiritual influence, your soul will be redeemed from sin, and until you do this bothing that Christ way did noth. redefined from sin, and until you do
this, bothing that Christ ever did; nothing
that the church ever did; nothing
that the patriarchs, or prophets, or
Jewish priests ever did; nothing that a
Christian minister can do, will ever
avail for you to bring you into the right
relation with the unseen Spirit; but
when your heart opens up to the blessed
influence of Goddy arms a tian anywhere when your heart opens up to the blessed influence of God's grace, then anywhere, in the open field, in the secret place of prayer, at the desk in the counting house, anywhere that your heart opens to God, there his presence will greet you, his love will fill you, his grace will save you, his everlasting arms will be about you, and his loving spirit will make you glad.

May God bless you every one with this access to him.

The other day a well dressed man are in a Boulevard car going up town. The lay was cold, the car was full and the usual discomforts of surface transit were turned on. The man mentioned was the observed of all observers. He carried a common black must on his knee, his hands thrust in either end, and had a far away look in his eyes. The ladies exchanged amused glances. The gentlemen regarded the muff with var sus degrees of wonder and contempt. "Newest style," suggested one gentlement man to another.

Yes: it's going to be a cold day to rrow. When you see the pigs carry

ing straws"——

"That beats me!" came in a stage whisper from acros "Wonder if he

"What is it, anyhow?"
"Sorry I forgot my muff."
"I'll steal my wife's sealskin sacque to

"Poor fellow! Somelandy ought to se him home safely."

him home safely."

Amid these remarks the man with the must sat quietly looking out of the window. He must have overheard some of them; he must have known that he was the object of universal curiosity and have but he gave no sign. It appears to the safe of t ridicule, but he gave no sign. It ap-peared, however, that he was only colhimself for some final effort he arose to leave the car at enty-second street he suddenly confront ed his fellow passengers.

"This is my wife's muff," he said bluntly. "She left it on the bargain counter. I had to go back and get it. I'm taking it home. If you see anything funny in that I'm blamed if I do."— New York Herald. An Interesting La

An Interesting Law Suit.

A law suit over a meteorite has stirred the usually tranquil life of Kirchberg, in Wurtemberg. Some time ago everybody there was startled one night by a loud report, and a ball of fire was seen to fall near the Rennecker sawmill. On the next day a stone weighing a ton was found among the logs by a laborer in the mill. News of the occurrence was published far and wide. Among the scores of pilgrims to the stone among the logs were wise men from Stuttgart and Tubingen, who believed that they from Stuttgart that they and Inbingen, who believed that they had a rare specimen of celestial geological formations. Their competitive offers for the stone bred a quarrel between the laborer and the owner of the mill as to whether the finder of the stone or the owner of the land on which it fell could claim it rightfully.

Thingen professors had it shipped to the university, after having agreed to pay \$500 for it if it proved to be a duly tested and accredited meteorite. The laborer thereupon enjoined the miliowner from receiving the money for the stone, and the mill owner got a lawyer, who is trying to raise the injunction. Meantime, the Tubingen professors have said that the stone has few attributes of sorite, and have refused to reship laborer and mill owner are about in proceedings to compel them to a meteorite, and have refused, to reship it; so laborer and mill owner are about to begin proceedings to compel them to return it, both maintaining that the uni-versity is trying to get the meteorite for a met

resaty is any mothing.

There are four lawyers in the case already and nothing has been decided, so the costs bid fair to exceed the value of the case meteorites.—New York Sun. a dozen meteorites.—New

Newspaper 8BCHIVE scom

implete Assortment of Gentlemen's Stiff Hats.

1 6. SELF-CONFORMING Licher Weight Stiff Hats. 1011 Styles in Black and the

N. W. Pievailing Shades. AT \$8.50.--NONE BETTER.

WE HAVE GOOD STIFF HATS,

New Shapes, at

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2,00,

\$2.50.

In Shade! New Walnut Shade! New Chocolate Shade

LOYS' Stiff Hats,

MEN'S Soft Top STIFF * HATS.

New Styles.

Hat we Warrant. Every Imperfection we Keplace with a New Hat. A Safeguard to Purchasers.

ENHEIMER

Hatters, Clothiers and Furnishers,

MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

WABASH.

DR. FRUTH

OOT-

[.E. æ

NG,

d.

S.⊬

8111

SP (ING # STYLES.

CATUR

LA CLEM ME OPERATIONS

REMINGTON

STAN ALD TYPEWRITERS

Decatur, Illinois

BICYCLES.

tenidas inter 1944 (* 1955) 197 datas panint (* 1955) 198 datas internationalista

FR. C44 | 1 (UB)

N 2) 1 Ann. R 15 9 m; No. 9 1 Ann. 8 30 4 M;
N 14 154 | 11 (90 a) (1 No. 9 1 Ann. 1 No. 1 No. 1 No. 1 No. 1 1 No. 1 No. 1 1 No. 1 1 No. 1 No. 1 | Kanada | France | Kanada | K | Property | Column | Property |

FR WITH WID TO CHICAGO 1 1344 1366 m NO 2 Pass 1 L Wan Pass 2 1 NO 1 Pass 1 L Wan 1 NO 1 Pass 1 1 134 8 80 p m i NO 8 Pass 3 85 a m ILLINOIS CENTHAL.

(NDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN. ARRITY 8 PROPERTY AND THE PROPERTY AND T PRORIA, DECATUR & EVANS-

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

Administrator's Notice Final Settlement.

MACON LAUVE 1 190 S.1 A Patiste of James Querry, Deceased

In the Heave of Sand I state

Executrix' Notice. Executive Nounce.

i state of trank Berkler Deceased

The undersigned higher becaused

treative of the estate of trank Berkler,
but of the county of Macon and state of Himols,
deceased heaby gives notice that site will
appear before the county court of Macon county
at the court house in Decatur, at the May
are the court house in Decatur, at the May
term on the first Monday in May next, at
with thine all persons having cluttes against
sale restate are notified and requisited to attend
for the purpose of laying the same adjusted
All persons indebted to safe state are truly at
ed to make humediate ayount to the under
signed

igned
Dated this 25th day of February 149.
10015A HFRALL R.
10055A HFRALL R.

WM. T. OUSSINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC will draw deeds, mortgages and do all kinds of conveyancing will also examine abstracts of title and promptly attend to any and all legal business entrusted to him (Street Sentrated to state (野 N)) - Will loan money on good city and farm real estate OFFICE-Over Smith & King varug store, No lat N Water Street ite 1 4世

_ -

FINN & PARE.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
OFFICE-Front rooms over Dear relations.
Bank, Decatur, III

PIANOS, ORGANS, VIOLINS & GUITARS

Hent anywhere on 10 day t lai browhijnii bathway Soul for itika kapricolle THOMPSON MUSIC CO. Hale of Real Estate and Johns negotiated and Esal Estate bought and sold

CARPETS, WALL-PAPER, CURTAINS.

PAUL HIEKISCH,



JAMES THOMAS, A Opticion in the detection and coad this configuration by the proper turns of specific is turns of North Wat c street, opposito First of F Church

Dr.A.S. WALTE OF FUR-Over "The Style mailtinery store sell. OALL BARLY.

Linoleum, Oil; Oloths, Mattings, Room Mouldings, Curtain Poles, Window Shades. Spring Goods just in. Fvery department full

ng, representing every qualty and style at Prices cheaper than any one can afford to
sell. OALL EARLY.

Doors should be returned immediately. Itol their appearse. He said that drinking men as a rule were not victions, but
their failing was to be deplored. He
presbytarian church between the hours
of 9 and 6 o'elect.

Mrs. Alice 6. Evans,
Sailw

Librarian.

ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE

MUSIC AND BLOGUTION. DAILY REPUBLICAN Grand by Home Talent. +CLOYD.+

A charming musical and elecutions: ntertainment was given at the Grand paign and Urbana is employed in the last night by the friends of the Young case. The will was a very simple one, Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the entire estate being divided equally under the law-breaking title of Chronthanotoletron, puzzing enough as to Scott, receiving a share equal to that of pronunciation to give even Mother each of the five children. By the will Bickerdeik the fidgets. There is a good James R. Scott, of Champaign, and Wm. deal in a name, however, and in this case Scott, of Ohio, are appointed executors the title of the production had reference of the estate, and here comes the scramto the wonderful invention in the form of a richly curtained cabinet over the has failed to carry out the intentions of campire trap, with a crank attachment, the deceased and is appropriating a large \$1.40 for 50 lb. Sack. by which the inventor, (Miss Irwin) with a petition has been made for his removal appropriate remarks was enabled to bring appropriate remarks was enabled to bring from the executorship. The estate has been variously estimated to be worth number elevator characters long since PILLSBURYS BEST IS THE BEST. LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Pocahontas Miss Gertrude Griswold, in rea

and pale blue, wreath for the hair Martha Washington Miss Nettic Stompft, in

Continental attire, gray and trimmings of white Princilla hits Effic Pease, in costume of

Each lady had her lines to speak-

lines which had epecial reference to the

the character represented, and in every

instance with charming grace and fine

effect the indies acquitted themselves

Incidental to the appearance of th

pleton and Mrs. Oneal. The entertain-

ment concluded with a chourus and a

stately and was enthusiastically appland-

ed, as was also all of the musical num-

bers. The andience was not large owing

to the inclement weather, but the Phron-

Clara Morris To-Night.

A tremendous audience should greet

Clara Morris at the Opera house this

evening, for she is unquestionably the

greatest actress of her time in what is

known as the smotional drams. Aside

ence. Her voice becomes strenuous and

beating of the heart by the undeclama-

inexplicable wails of an orphaned hu-

manity, and far away miseries of wo

man's fidelity and anguish, and phantom

faces of silent wrengs wrought upon by

love and despair. It men and women

turn still from the allegro of life to this

penserose it is because in it there still

ontinue to tremble and weep some of

the truths that lie along the right side of

nature, and some of the gifts that occa-sionally break into art without so much

Lecture by Rev. H W. Davis

The Journal says of the address:

Rev Mr. Davis has the bearing an

as your leave.

intense; her muscles betray her stress,

othanotoletron was a big success.

edate to the top of the chairs

County board meeting next week, beginning Tuesday afternoon. Tan Grand Opera House organs, made

Egyptian costume with golden badds as the arms above the elbows

Cornelia — Mrs Anna Berry Tempieton, a Roman maiden attired in a flowing robe of pure white, bare arms, powdered hair, a band of gold and silver extended from the shoulder to the edge of the skirt in front in diagonal form

Cleopatra—Miss Oka Calvin, in a gorgeous attire of red and gold, crown of jewels, Egyptian complexion. by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town THE city council will hold its regular seting Monday night. SELECT the White Loaf and Daily

Bread flour, sold by all leading grocers omplexion Queen Elizabeth — Miss Etta Andrews, ELEGANT buckwheat flour and maple queenly costume of gold and wine colored satin. a crown of emeralds, full sleeves and train, dia syrup at May & Churchman's grocery PRILIP KEMPER'S grocery store is at

801 North Water street. Call there for phort black dress, poke bonnet, spectacles, as anot some areas, possessimet, specarios, and carried a satchel filled with knitting material Saint Gocelia—Miss Saltie McCall, light green tostume with bale of silver Hypatra, the Pagan—Miss Mand Martin in a Par your taxes. Collector Lyte will give you a receipt in full in exchange for nawing white robe Agnesia of Belogua- Miss Emma Weigand, in

HANKS & Co. at 143 South Water street carry a full line of choice family roceries. Prompt delivery to all parts

144 East Main St.,

PILLSBURY'S

BEST FLOUR.

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.

SATURDAY EVE., MARCH 5, 1892.

CLARA MORRIS to-night in emotions

For kindling wood ask F. C. Caldwell,

the coal dealer.

BLANE & GRASS IS the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window apō-dtf Frent lake fish and dressed poultry, can be had at May & Churchman's grocery

THE standard pianos are the Haines Upright matruments on sale in Decatur only at C. B Prescott's music store,

J. F Conny has opened up a new dining room in the European Hotel and is now prepared to give meals to the public by the day or week. feb27-d1m AT the meeting of Progress Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, the Rebekah legree was conferred upon Col. and Mrs. A Reeve There are an other apply

THE "Centimeri" kid gloves are the andsomest, beet fitting, best wearing LINN & SCRUGOS D. G. & C. Co, iso20dæwtf Sole Agents for Decmur, Ill

Ar the lecture to be given by Rev. H. W. Davis at the Opers House Monday evening March 7, an opportunity will be offered to learn all about the great same Hath Shed a Tear," by Miss McCall, teriam at Dwight.

DR E T. MILLER, of Cross Plains, Wis, has expressed the opinion that, for obstinate cases of syphilis and scrofula, Ayer's Sarsaparills is unquestionably the out effective remedy known to pharmacy. Wonderful cures have resulted

Tux regular meeting of the Pastor's BSO-lation occurs every Monday morning at 10 30 in Room No. 1, First M. E hurch. All ministers of the gospel in Decatus and vicinity are invited to be present, and share in the benefits of the ciation. NextMonday morning Rev H. H. Onesl D D. will present a paper

A QUARANTEE -There is no cuse heumatiem or neuralgia which will no be relieved by the use of Salvation Oil. A Clergyman's Opinion.—Having had an opportunity to test the excellent andience quick to feel. It is the ability

qualities of Dr Buil's Cough Syrup, 1 to be deadly in earnest whenever she has heatate not to say, it is the best remedy a wrong to complain of or a sacrifice to I have ever used in my family -Rev. | make At such times she appears to pass Wm. Chapman, Pastor M E. Church, over into conditions of personal experi-

THE Christian Science rooms, 14 & 15, 2nd floor, west end of Fenton Block, which have been recently furnished, will be open daily from 10 to 12 a. m., and 2 to 4 p. m. All who would like to know more of the sub ject are cordially invited to call. Bible study Tuesday, 730 to teb5 d1m 9,30 p.m.

A National Event. The holding of the World's Fair in a otty scarcely fifty years old will be a remarkable event, but whether it will really benefit the nation as much as the discovery of the Restorative Nervine by Dr Franklin Miles is doubtful. This is net what the American people need to ure their excessive nervouscess, dys neuralgia, nervous debility, duliness, con-fusion of mind etc. It sots like a charm. Trial bottle and fine book on "Nervous and Heart Dissuses," with unequaled testimonials, free at W O Armstrong's. It is warranted to contain no opium, morphine or dangerous drugs. daw

I will be at the old stand on North Church street Decatur, Ill., for a few days, commencing Saturday March 5. 1892, and will buy a car load of horses for the New England market, weighing from 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, and from 5 to 10 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

EDWIN PRATT.

WITH 8 view of opening up the north-western portion of the colony of Victoria, Australia, to agricultural settlement, the

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it 'Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. \$500 reward for any bottle of thus wine found under five years old. It is grand in sickness, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by physicians. Sold only in quart 1 titles. Price, \$1. For sale by Dr. A J. Stomer.

Importanti Library Patronsi books should be returned immediately.
Bring them to the basement of the old
Preclyterian church between the hours

A Bitter Legal Fight.
A bitter fight is being made in the Champaign county court over the property of the late Archibald Scott. Hairs are there from Ohio, Kentucky, Texas, and most of the legal talent of Chamamong six herrs, the widow, Eliza M. ble, for it is alleged that James R. Scott amount of the property to himself, and number elevator characters long since departed. It was the ambition of the inventress to witness the operation of her pet Chronothanctoleiron, and her brightest dreams of its possibilities were fully realized. In the following order the characters were brought forth upon the stage, which was richly furnished for the occasion.

Inventress—Miss Lillian Irwin, attired in black, blue bodies, white apron, spectacles.

Genius of the Nineteenth Century—Miss Kittle Seger, in white sleveless dress, silver coronets and wand.

Sarah—Miss Wilhe Robinson, combination. his father in an unconscious slumbs and that the box contains notes which and that the box contains notes which the deceased had against James R Scott for large sums which has not appeared in the inventory of the estate Five of the heirs appear to have combined against Jas. R. Scott, who they say has mysteriously come into possession of real estate which belonged to A. R. Scott. The case promises to continue several days and smirch the character of some one.

The Effect of Car Blockades. W. B. Probasco, who has been in the business of buying grain in Bloomington for nearly thirty years, says that never before this winter has there been so much trouble and so great a loss and damage to farmers and dealers from the freight blookades. The business has been paralyzed since the middle of De cember, since which time the car blockade has been almost continuous, and on account of the blockade the local prices of corn and oats have been greatly depressed. Cars of grain shipped for Baltimore were delayed in Chicago as long Joan of Arc Miss Lelah Ross, lu short skirt ed dress of red, with silver coat of mail and itsahing sword. Hat to match dress. Bappho Miss Neille Cher, in dress of white study puls blue meant for the bard only in the study. as two months, while cars for Baltimore sent out December 22d have not been heard from yet. Cars were detained at Grand Crossing, Chicago, from Decamber

> This condition of things robs the grain dealer of his confidence and nerve and rendered it impossible to do business without unusually large capital and cheat the farmers out of from 45 to 55 on h s grain. We have no assurance when we start a car for the East when we will hear from it, and when the market is tending downward the loss is something very heavy. I have lost as much as \$300 on one car of oats. e car of cats.

9th to February 22d, and have not jet

been heard from as arriving at Balti

quite cleverly "Where is Moses?" was frequent laughter-provoking refrain, and Mother Bickerdeik as well as Miss Irwin kept things lively at intervals, Will She Divorce Him? while the cry of "Mouse" sent the most Cora Tanner who appears at the Grand next Tuesday night, has for some time een regarded as one of the coming great haracters and the colloquies a number actresses of this country. She has been of musical gems were introduced, with countriully endowed by nature with all superb accompaniment by the Opera Or those qualities which go to make a suc chestra and Miss Thomas, plantet. They cessful actress. She combines with her were Dust—"Holy Mother, Guide His handsome presence intelligence of a high Footsteps" from the opera of Maritana der and a charm of manner which en by Mrs. Templeton and Mrs. Oceal, tri brails beranditors while she is present "Cheerfulness," by Miss Freeman, Mrs Templeton and Mrs. Oneal, solo, "Heaven solo "Waltz Song," by Faure, Mrs Templeton, solo "Love Where art Thou," Miss Gher, Quartette, "Waltz Song," Miss Griswold, Miss McCall, Mrs. Tem-

t has been her misfortune heretofore not to find a play in which to display her qualities to the best advantage Ac ording to accounts of her latest play she as been suited at last, "Will She Divorce Him?" was produced at the end of last season in Brooklyn It was pronounced a success then, and follow-ing performances have added to its grand march. The march was new and strength, in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston, New Orleans,

Cincinnati and Chicago A Family Row.

This forenoon a party named Noble, residing in a small house on East Jefferson street, had a big quarrel with his wife, and being drunk he aroused the whole neighborhood Officers Leech and Brookway were called to the house, but when they got there Noble had left the place. Mrs. Noble and her child will go doubtedly a much higher gift, which her Mattoon, where the lady critics are slow to soknowledge, and her fore. It is said that Mrs. Noble consented to come to Decatur, provided her husband would behave himself. He has been in the lackup for drunkenness on two or more occasions.

Divorces Desired On the grounds of desertion Miles

Dickerson will ask for a divorce from his she arrests the breath and stops the wife, Christma Dickerson. The couple 2 about 1 000 000 marks were married in October, 1877 N'ra D ra M Barker, on the ground of

> t teaches that we are not sufficiently for sale by Neisler, pharmacist protected from fire. The best fire proection is a good insurance policy W. Montgomery writes that kind and many in this vicinity will attest the fact Rates as low as any good company

C W. MONTGOMERY, feb23 dtf Millikin Bank Building Waiting.

Misses Atterberry, sisters Grant and Ed, have moved to this city to remain until after the boys are tried on the charge of having killed their There has been a good advance cale of father. The ladies have taken up their ests for the lecture by Rev. H. W. Davis residence in a suit of rooms over Isenbarg's grocery.—Shelbyville Union of Charleston, which he will deliver at the Grand Monday night for the benefit Electric Supply Company

of the Decatur Bichloride of Gold Club On account of the recent fire we have arranged for Harry Muler, the confectioneer, Central block, to handle our in candescent iamps until the Library block is reconstructed For house wiring, electro bells and supplies, call on W. B He was at Springfield Thursday night speciation of an actor, his voice being strong and clear. Those who failed to hear the lecture missed one of the best treats of the sesson. The lecture was brimful of humor and tric bells and supplies, call on Burke, or W. H. Davis.

EDWARD OVERMIRE has permanent y EDWARD OVERMIRE has permanent y located in Decatur as an architect, and has opened an office in the Caener building, where he would be pleased to see his many friends. Mr. Overmire has had eight years of the best experience in the east, and feels that he can give complete satisfaction to all who contemplate building.

29 3w lecture was brimin of humbs and facts of interest to those who have not had occasion to test the virtues of the Keeley cure. The lecturer is a Methodist minister and has had experience on the platform. He said that the churches and temperance someties have done much to lessen the use of intoxicants but the evil had been attacked "Fast Black Bostery,"

In Silk, Lisle Thread and Linwood Hosiery. New Spring stock just opened at Linn & Sorugg's D. G. & C. Co on like rood which mother actions.

The majority of drinking men are led on by a diseased appetite. The common opinion, he said, was that drinking men loved liquor, but the is not true; in fact they greatly dislike it, but cannot control their appetite. He said that drinking the control their appetite. He said that drinking the control their appetite. The New Postoffice.

Decatur has secured the new post-office; it will be located on North Water street, where the 99 Cent Store now 18 The Handsomest Embroidenes and Torchon Laces ever before shown in this market at Linn & Scapeges D. G. & C. Co.

THE PALL BACES

Decatur in the Central Illinois Circuit-August 30 to Sept. 2 the Dates

Last evening the Decatur represen tives of the Decatur Trotting Association arrived home from Bloomington, where yesterday at the office of C. M. Reed arrangements were perfected for the fall race meetings to be held at cities in the Central Illinois Circuit-Decatur, Danville, Bloomington and Kankakee, which cities were represented as follows at the

Decatur-Eli Brenneman and R. R. Decetur—z...
lontgomery.
Kankakee—D C. Tavlor.
Danville—D. W Vorhis, jr.
Bloomington—Mayor Foster and C.

The fall race meetings will be held as

Decatur-August 30-Sept. 2. Danville—September 6-9 Bloomington—September 13-16. Kankakee—September 20-23. At Danville and Bloomington the races will be in connection with county fairs and in the ot for cities will be independ

ent meetings Yearling stake for trotter, \$20) Two-year old stake for trotters, \$300. Three-year old stake for trotters, \$400. The three year old with a record better than

Two year-old pacers, \$300 Three year old pacers, \$400 A corse with record better than 2 35 cause 2 27 Class to tters, purse \$500

2 2 Class trotters, purse \$500 1 ree for all trotters, purse \$500 5 35 Class pace, stake \$1 000 2 17 (lass pace, parse \$600 . 25 Olass pace, stake \$1 000,

Decatur will have money in hand for pecial purses Entries in stakes close May 1, 1892. Entrance fee 5 per cent., payable in four equal payments, viz May 1, June 1, July

1 and Angust I The Decatur mile track will be ready for the flyers by August It will be standar lin size und condition, and will bring the best of horses to the Decatu meeting. The a sociation deserves full praise for its enterprise in putting Decatur at the front in the way of a race

RESCUED BY MOONSHINERS, A Deputy United States Marshal and

Guard Fatally Wounded CIFVELAND, O, March 5-Partial detailes of the pursuit and rescue of United States prisoners and the killing of two men by moonshiners near Duck town Tenn have just been received All the particulars obtainable are con tained in the following telegram ceived by United States Marshal Tip

American Women Lionized at Monte-cario

PARIS March 5—Advices from

Montecarlo state that the most con spicuous figure at that famous resort is Mis Ayer whose husband made a for Mis Ayer whose making make Flor-tune in patent medicine in America. She is much admited and shows great nerve in her pley—She has for a com-panion Mrs Robert Leioy of New York, and the two ladits are much honized. It is said that Mis Ayers in tends to purchase a big house in Lon don and enter prominently into socia life of the British metropolis In Paris social affairs in the American colony are rather dull

Gone After Garza RIO GRANDF CITY, Tex, March 5— Information has reached here that a party of twenty-five well armed and counted Garga revolutionists are e mounted Gaira revolutionists are encamped 30 miles north of this city in the chaparral Capt John G. Bouike, of the Third cavalry, and a large force of United States deputy marshals and troops left here last evening for the camp of the revolution-ists. They are confident they will capture some of the men Catarina Garza is said to be at the head of the party and a strong effort will be made to take him prisoner

Fatal Cave-In in a Mine LEADVIIIF Col, March 5-By a cave-in in the Welden shaft near here yesterday afternoon ex Alderman R young man named Sablessinger was fa-tally injured. The two men were alone in the shaft at the time of the accident.
Eckles leaves a wife and child Sablessinger was unmarried

Steel Works Burned BERLIN March 5 —The steel works at Friedrichsfield, near this city, were destroved by fire yesterday The loss

New Washington, Penn, People beating of the heart by the undeclamatory concentration of her tones and the freighted porganize of the manner.

It is, therefore, as Niobe and not as a "Buskined nymph of unfettered joy" that the world consents to regard Clara Morris, and it is very certain that through her has come to us some of the invertigable wals of an orphaned human least through the grade of the

> Special Bargains during this month in Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Bleached and Brown Musius Crashes, Table Linens, Towels and all Housekeeping Goods, at Linn & Seruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co

Owing to the withdrawal of the tel per cent tax that has been levied on express trains in France, there will be inaugurated on April 1 a reduction of ten per cent in second class and twenty per cent in third class pussenger rates.

Mr J S Sturtevant, editor of the Waupaca (Wis) Post, says. "Last night Chamberlain's Pain Baim cured my wife of neuralgas of the face and tooth in fit teen minutes. We would not be without teen minuter We would not be without it " 50 cent bottles for sale by Nemier,

Neuralgis Cured in 15 Minutes

The People Are Right

They say after seeing our Large and Complete Stock of WALL PAPER and MOULDINGS and the prices quoted, that we deserve not only the First Prize in the Morohants' Karnival, but the patential of the control of the contr ronage of all people looking for first class goods at bed rock prices.

Drop us a card and our Head Decora-tor, W. C. Pluck, will call on you with a full line of samples, and give you figures

CONKLIN & HOUSUM Wall Paper and Room Mouldings.

-OPPOSITE THE RIG FIRE,-

Golden Opportunities in this Department.

EVERY WINTER GARMENT MUST GO.

We Need Room

OUR TRADE IS GROWING and our Stock is GROWING, and we MUST have the room these CLOAKS take, and NOW is your opportunity to

A Pusher for Thursday and Friday.

25 Doz. MEN'S HEAVY MERINO UNDERWEAR, 35e each-regular 50e and 60c qualities.

15 Doz. CHILDREN'S RIBBED MERINO UNDER-DERWEAR, ages 2 to 6, 15c-regular 25c and and 30c Grade.

SEE OUR NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS. ●

-+CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,+-

151 NORTH WATER ST.

It is the GUNN FOLDING BED, the only practical Combination Folding Bed in the world.



BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.

The Largest and Cheapest Furniture and Stove Store in the city. Everything sold for Cash or on Easy Payments.



LINN & SCRUGGS Dry Goods and Carpet Company.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL NOTICE

Cold Meather Prices.

t aniid vestibule train to Chicago

Dinner Plates, per set, 40c

Cups and Saucers, per set, 40c

Cups and Saucers, per set, 40c

""" 45c

Chambers, 45,50 and 60c

Chambers, 45,50 and 60c

Chamber Sets, \$2.90

Ewers and Basins, 98c

Tubs, 65 and 75c

Parlor Matches, 15c B

Dozen Boxes

A solid vectibule train to throat of Shering and Shering

Dozen Boxes 8c P. D. & E. RAILROAD NOTICE

Bird Seed, with bone, Toothpicks, Lamp Burners, Lanterns,

1500 want to go to Omana, Lucoin, or other boints in Nebraska or hansas City, Beever, Colo Springfeld, Public, San Francisco, Los Argeles, or points in Caldorren, and Francisco, Los Call at P. Di on the Caldorren, and Francisco, Los Call at P. Di on depot. Train feaver becatured to promise on makes connection with C B & Q a Secrit. Through chair car to Omana, Success and Denver, and makes connection at Delaware with the Chicago & Alton Through tourist sieper every day to Colorado California, and for South the Chicago & Alton Through tourist sieper every flar saley and Pointas. Secrit South Colorado California, and for South Colorado Callornia, and for South Colorado Callor Hobby-Horses, 75-feet Wire Clothes Lines, Slop Pails,. No 8 Copper Bottom

Ladies' Medicated Red

All Wool Vests now 75c, worth \$1.50 Ladies' Wool Leggins Reduced to 39c. Boys' Shirts or Drawers

Reduced to 28c. Danton Flannel, per yd., 5c R. Becaur, III.

Red all wool Flannel, 22, 25 and 28c Son the indianapolis, because & Western rail such stations to Sorbugdeid, III. and return at one fare for the round tris These good going April of the total tris land return at one fare for the round tris These good going april of the total good going april of the stations and good returning the fare for the round good returning april of the stations and good returning april of the stations apply to any agent 1 n & W.R. R. Indianapoles, Ind.

J. Millikin & Co., +BANKER 3,++

Dealers in Exchange

ESTABLISHED 1860.

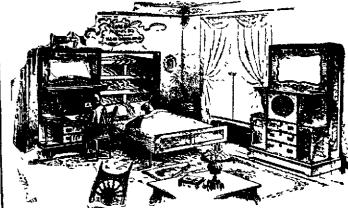
WABASH EXCURSIONS.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE STATE EN AME DEED, GAR and the Womans Beleft Fund, the Wabsh R. R. will selection tick ets Decatur to Springheid and return at fire Tickets will be sold April 5, 6, 7 and 8. God going day of saic. Good returning up to be duticulating April 9. For any information write or apply to C. A. Polloce, P. & T. A., Watsah R. R., Becatur, III.

Weaver & Lewis. Safety Deposit Boxes for the use of those wishing a secure place for their Bonds, Mort-sugge, Notes, Insurance Policies, etc.

W C. PLUCK, HEAD DECORATER 125 East William St.,

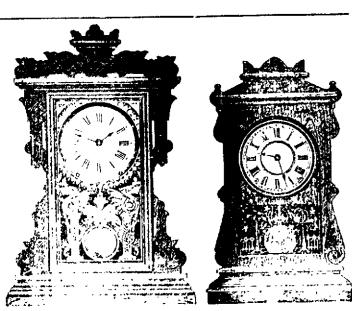
Hays' Old Stand,



Always Convenient and Handsome.

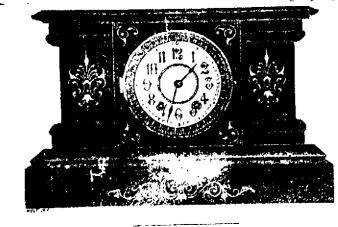


CLOCKS!



are carrying the greatest line of CLOCKS ever shown by any house in Decatur, all the Old Reliable SETH THOMAS make. We have them in all kinds of WOOD, ONYX, MARBLE, GLASS, NICKEL, and in fact in every style they are made.

This is the time of year you need a New Clock. We shall be glad to show you at any



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Second Floor, China Department.

THIS * FINE * WEATHER

Brings to our mind that you will be looking for a SPRING OVER-COAT or a Nobby Suit.

You will miss it if you do not step in and look over our UNEX- Conie Spangler, of Long Oreek. CELLED LINE.

Prices that Bring the Dust Every Time | South Park street, Sunday at 3 o'clock.

BRYAN, * JONES * & * CO., be a shortage in the peach crop in this viously this year. He has made an examination of a number of trees and it was with difficulty that he could find any

4 Doors West of Post Office.

1892-1855-37

We have left behind us another milestone on the highway of our business career, and are now entering and dry and to fall to freely she sourcely deted comb it. Ayor's Hair Vigor gave upon the 37th year of catering to the wants of the ber a booking scale, and made the hair

We will, as heretofore, aim to please, and you can rest assured that the best of everything to be found in a st the home of Conductor and Mrs. first-class ment market will always be offered you.

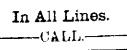
Thanking you for past patronage bestowed and respectfully soliciting a continuance of the same we

Imboden Bros.

----WE ARE---MAKING A BIG DRIVE

THIS WEEK

BARGAINS





DAILY REPUBLICAN.

ELECTRIC CLEANSER

t is equally good for cleaning clothe

KING & WOOD.

SATURDAY EVE., MARCH 5, 1892. ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST. Until March 1.

In order not to disappoint our man; intomers who were under the impression that our Bargain Sale was to continu through the entire month of February through the entire month of restrain, we have decided to prolong the sale until Murch 1. This sale has been of great benefit to those who desire fine goods at prices usually asked for cheaper grades. We want you to come and see for your selves whether we are doing as we say, £. D. Bartholomew.

Tarru, 88--Hoskins & Moore, dentist SMORE the old reliable K. & W. cigare. For kindling wood sak F. O. Unidwell

he cont douter. THE Little Rose and re the favorites. THE date for the fall race meeting

Decalur is August 30 to September 2. ELEGANT styles in Spring Millinery at Sawyer & McCoy's, 110 N. Water St. Our all-wool, fast-black hosiery at re

luced prices to clear our stock. Linn d ORDINA D. G. & C. Co. SAWYER & McCor have just received a arge invoice of elegant new spring mi 2.46 nery at 110 N. Water St. Just purchased-a handsome lot obenille portleres at reduced prices.

LINE & SCRUGOS D. G. & C. Co. SPECIAL BARGAINS IN Gents', Ladies Unlaundried Shirts, at Linn & Seruggs D. G. & C. Co.

Naw spring shades in kid gloves and monsquetare suade gloves, just received ure of success in Missouri. at Linn & Strugge D. G. & U. Uo. DRINKING men are especially invited to attend the lecture of Rev. H. W. Davis

at the opera house on Monday evening,

feb17 daw2 n This Hoghest esso came up before held in the sum of \$100 to await the action of the grand lury.

Mannaus licenses have been granted to Olnoy R. Day and Miss Clara B. Peck, of Decatur, and to Heber Camp and Miss

Tax members of Elijah Lodge No. 2350 G. U.O., of O. F. will hold special emorial services at their hall on All are invited to attend.

SAMURE ALLEN reports that there will

fruit bude at all. Ar the meeting of Decatur Division No. 36, Uniform Bank, Knights of Pythins, held last night, the rank of Bir Knight was conferred upon Jacob Keck, Osptain Grist reports the division as

mey in the brok. Miss Beste H. Bedlee, of Burling on, Vt., had a disease of the scalp which cansed her hair to become very harsh

eautiful, thick and glossy. THERE was a dinner party last evening Heorge W. Jenkins, East North atreet. It was a charming affair. The guesta . Scott, William Clark, C. N. Spyder, J A. Brown, J. Hughes, R. Taggart, F. Lew Hart, J. D. Templeton, S. Burgese H. F. Houghton, William Downing, J. F. urry, John Swigart, George Pinckerd of

> Weight of Sallivan. Ladies' Wraps.

The first invoice of new spring jackets ad capes for Indies and children have seen received at Linn & Schudds D. G. & C. Co.

Horsushous are of rubber. The most reliable make of Ladies' Mushn Underwear and Corset Covers at lowest prices, can be found at Linn & Scrugge D. G. & C. Co.

Woman druggists increase. Wood Purrs, Chain Pumps, Iron orce Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Leb-an's. A RUBBER DAVY is broached.

CAUTION—Beware of imitators in Scuth Bend and elsewhere who copy Miss Flora A. Jones' advertisements, circulars and letters. Get the Genuine Blush of Roses, which you will always find at Swearinger & Tyler's in Decatur.

SALE or exchange for Obicago real its strike with 5-room house on Eddyra. Edmard sirest. Address T. A. GEHR. Rovelties, and other new brash fabrics, on sale now at Linn & Scargge D., & C. Co.

DANGEROUSLY HURT.

M. Millikin and His Fall Down a Stairway at Danville.

Mrs. Hunter Millikin of this city, and sold a pony for \$3 at Dalton City recently the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stodelder brother of Murray Millikin, met and rode off with Joe Stock's horse, is dard, and last evening the occasion was with a serious and probably fatal acci- now in custody, and passed through Dedent last night at the residence of his catur to-day for Springfield, where he lamily physician, Dr. R. W. Gillett, at will be prosecuted for horse-stealing. It Mr. Stoddard, who is the present first Danville. Going down a stairway, Mr. was through the quiet work of Marshal Millikin's foot tripped in the carpet, and Meson that Poling was located yesterday he fell headlong to the bottom. It is on a farm between Atwood and Tuscels, feared that he is fatally hurt. Mr. M. is and last night Marchal Mason visited 30 years of age and a son-in-law of the Tuecola and had a look at the prisoner. late Judge O. L. Davis. He was a To-day Mr. Stocks got his horse and rode traveling man for the Haines Brothers, him to Dalton City. It was decided to F. Stoddard, who resides at Ramsey or health for some weeks. He was ex- This saves Mr. Stocks \$75 reward money sected to arrive in Decatur to-day to

This afternoon a talegram was received rom Danville stating that Mr. Millikin, though very seriously hurt, was restin se comfortably as could be expected.

NEW DRY GOODS FIRM.

Syndicate From Michigan to Open a Store in Decatur.

It is learned that a syndicate of capitalists at Grand Rapids, Mich., bave secured a lease of the large storeroom on Water street, now occupied by May & Churchman as a grocery store, age. He was a native of Virginia and and will soon occupy it. They will put came to Macon county in 1827. He was in a large stock of dry goods and notions. and will fix up the establishment in elegent style. May & Churchman will continue in

business. They will vacate their present quarters and remove their stock to a room in the Syndicate block. The names of the members of the new dry goods firm could not be learned to-

The Democratic Convention.

mittee met in the treasurer's office at 1:30 o'clock to day. The committee was called to order by J. P. Drennan, and C. C. Leforgee kept the records. After some ussion relating to the matter of two conventions and the time for holding them, the committee decided upon March 26, 1892, as the day when the county ponvention to select delegates to the state and congress; onal convention shall be held. After this had been done the committee went into executive session on the state of the Democratic party and the Republican representative retired.

Going Away. Daniel Gepford, who has been a farmer six miles northwest of Decatur, near Agreementage for 51 years, sold his 80 sore farm last spring to Harrison Henson at \$65 per acre, and next week Mr. Gepford and his family will leave for Douglas county, Mo., where they will begin life snew in a sparsely settled district. Mr. Gapford, who has been reader of the Republican since it was started in 1837, was in the city to-day to bid his many friends good bye and to have the address of his paper changed The REPUBLICAN wishes him a full meas

The Shakespeare Class. The members of the Shakespeare class of the Woman's Club were delightfully entertained last evening by Mrs. E. A.

Glidden, at her handsome new residence on West William street. The evening fresh garden and flower seeds. The was spent in quoting passages from Spencer & Lehman Company, corner Shakesperean plays which the class had studied up to date, and Mrs. W. M. Catto was awarded first proze, being the most proficient, and Mrs. David Hutchiso second. The evening was both profitable and entertaining to the members of the class. Later delicious refreshments were

County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob . Price, decessed, the widow, Mrs. Nancy . Price, was appointed administratrix Bond \$1200, with Abel S. Ferre and Benamin F. Price sureties. The property consists of a house and lot, a team of horses and other personal property.

I W. Ehrman is the administrator of the estate of George W. Patterson, deond \$3,000, with O. B. Gorin

ceased; fbond \$3,000, with O. B. Gorin Mrs. J. C. Beatty, on West Wood street, and Parke Hammer as succises. Appraisers, B. L. Howenstino, D. C. Mofflt and John Irwin.

Bishop Seymour's Sister Dead.

Bishop Seymour's Sister Dead.

Mrs. J. C. Beatty, on West Wood street, the northeast quarter of the south half of the northeast quarter, all in 26, 16, 2 home in Griggsville, after a visit in the contribused quarter, all in 26, 16, 2 home in Griggsville, after a visit in the contribused quarter and 9 agrees in South Wheatland to the northeast quarter and 9 agrees in the south half of the Mrs. Mary Saymour, sister of Bishop Seymone of this city, died at her home

in New York yesterday, aged about 75 years. The news was received here through a telegram received at the bishop's residence. Bishop Seymour being absent from the city at the time. Agatha's school was closed during the siternoon. Mrs. Saymour formerly resided with her brother in this city.-

He Called for The Gun. M. A. Nickey, of Oakley, called at H. Mueller & Sons. Merchant street at me to day and was presented wite the New York club ritle, which this firm offered to the person killing the greatest number sparcows, while the extermination law was in effect. The number killed by Mr. Nickey was 1294. The gun is a little beauty ind has an octagon barrel, is a 22 calibre and is 24 inches long.

Funeral of Mrs. L. H. Martin. The funeral of the late Mrs. Anna E. Martin, wife of L. H. Martin, will take place from the Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock, Sunday, March 6th. The services will be conducted by Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, of the Presbyterian church assisted by Rev. C. E. Torrey, of the Baptist church. The casket will not be

pened at the church. Sarkis Merdanian.

Mr. Sarkis H. Merdensau, a converte Armenian from Asia Minor, Turkey, will deliver an address in the opera bouse to morrow evening on "The Religious and Social Life of the Mohammedans, and Mission Work in Tarkey." Mr. Merds nian will be dressed in the continue o

Card of Thanks.

mercian desire in this manner to express late bereavement, the death and buris of their father, and more especially t the members of Goodman's Band.

A DRLIGHTFUL CELEBRATION Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stoddard Pleas Charley Poling on His Way to Johnst by Way of Springfield.

lieutenant of Decatur Division No. 36 Uniform Rank, K. of P., was artisticall emblematic of the order. The affair was also in honor of the 43d birthday and versary of Mr. Stoddard's father, Dr. L. isno manufacturers, and had been in let the Springfield officers have Poling. but owing to an inopportune wreel on the railroad was unable to b The evening was enjoyabl passed with music, cards and games. placed before the guests for each one to Charles Freeman guessed 13,000 and ob great amount of laughter, was the effort of the guests to locate the tail of a don key on the wall, while their eyes were

Excitement at Mrs. Charles Logan

Last night and early this morning here was a lively time at the Mrs. Charles Logan boarding house, caused by the conduct of Mary Bervillier, a servant who mentally unbalanced. She became onblesome vesterday, talked ugly, and last night she went into a room in the house, tore up a lot of clothing belonging other servants, and then threw a lamp into the heap, causing the clothing take fire. The officers were summoned, and Captain Bailey and Officer Lawrence took the woman to the county jail. PERSONAL MENTION.

HORSE THIEF CAUGET

Charles Poling, the young man wh

offered, and Moultrie county the expens

of prosecuting the prisoner. There is a

good case against him at Springfield, and

the officers there will get a reward of \$75

DEATH OF SQUIRE AUSTIN.

Away.

Another old settler. William Austi

assed away in death this morning at

o'clock at his home two miles north o

Boody, in Blue Mound township, when

65 years. Squire Austin was 86 years of

he had lived continuously for a period of

member of the Mason County Old

Settlers association, and generally at-

tended the reunions attited in old style

clothes and wearing a stove-pipe bat

which was in style before the war. Mr.

Austin was a farmer and a good citizer

He leaves two sons and other children

at 2 p'olock, Rev. C. G. Woods, of Decatur,

A CRAZY SERVANT.

Boarding House.

The funeral will occur Sunday afternoon

Oldest Settlers Calle

Attorney J. M. Clokey is in Chicago Mrs. J. H. Coonradt is on the sick list. C. P. Housum, Jr., is in Chicago on Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson bave re-

urned from Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Judson are in Chi-Miss Elizabeth Knieper returned this orning from Illiopol Miss Lens White, of Taylorville, is i

he city visiting friends C. A. Hoit, of the Illinois ad, in in the gity to-day, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall of Chicago are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. W.

Miss Reeves, of Litchfield, arrived in the city to day to visit her brother, A. M

Robert McKinnon a civil engineer, is to city visiting his brother, Dr. J. W. Miss Josephine Gasaway, of Indiana;

olis, will spend Sunday in this city the most of her parents. T. M. Kess is on duty again as night clerk at the Central House, after a severe ttack of the grip.

N. Hight, traveling passenger agent or the Union Pacific road, is in the city to day on business.

George Ensley, commander of Jordan Post, 535, at Macon, is dangerously ill at his home in Macon. J. J. Moran, who has been quite a was able to be at his store yesterday the first time in several weeks.

J. E. Saxton, of the 99-cent store, will so,000 leave to-morrow on a business trip. He will be absent nearly all of next week. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoutenborough of Maroa, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beatty, on West Wood street.

family.

DeWitt E Avery, traveling representative for the Remington Standard Typewriter company, St. Louis, was in the city yesterday and to-day.

Marshal Mason returned this morning from Tuscols, where he went to get a look at Charles Poling the horse thief, whose capture he brought about. Mr. and Mrs. John G. Keller are in the city viciting friends. Mr. Keller is the guest of Prof. T. L. Evans, and Mrs. K. is viciting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hankins. John W. Lyon, formerly a REPUBLICAN compositor, lately located in St. Louis, has bought a 56-acre farm near Leesburg, Mo, and has become a tiller of the

Misees Lulu and Ada Zimmerman and Lou Wigeman returned to day to their homes in Chicago. They were here to attend the funeral of the late W. N. Zimmerman.

H. E. Rosengrant, of the Wabash, received a telegram to-day from Ogalalla, Nebranta, stating that his father, H. H. Rosengrant, was seriously ill. The trouble is dropsy and Elmer will leave for the west on Sunday.

west on Sunday.

Seymour Rosenfeld, the agent for the "Lilliputians" or "The Dwarf Wedding," is in the city eaching an engagement with Manager Haines. The company has 145 people in the cest and are now playing an engagement at the Olympic in St. Louis.

Chicago Gram Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor.
Liva Stock—Estimated receipts—
Hoge—12,000; 10c higher.
Cattle—15,000; steady.
Gears—Or, bts—

Cattle—15,000; svenuy.

JRAIN—Osr lots—
Wheat 174; Corn 207; Oats 124.

WHEAT \$.8714 \$.8814 \$.8914

CORN 41% — 4214

.2936 — .8036

MAY.

THE French Minister of Commerce has samed a decree authorizing the employment of pure nickel for the manufacture of measures of capacity intended for the use of liquids.

THE attempt of Charles E. Rosch, grandson and legates of the great ship-builder, to intervene in the accounting of the estate, has been blockeded in New Sous enemy of a wealthy farmer, John Gray of Lime Rock, R. I., strewed Paris

FAIRFIRLD has a steel ship.

THE New York Grand Jury has vin-dicated District Attorney Neoll and ensured Dr. Parkhurst.

green among the hay and grain bine to kill his cattle,

the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stod North Main street. The residence of

eporated in red, white, yellow and blue hottle containing exactly 450 beans was guess the number it contained. Mrs. F. Damrow guessed 452 and was awarded the first prize, some beautiful China ware. sined the booby prize, a dozen clothe ins. Another diversion which caused overed with a blindfold. In this contest Rike scored first and Mrs. R. J. Straton last. Each guest was presented with s fancy tissue paper cap, which was worn hroughout the evening. The supper was served under the supervision of Mrs. derrett and two assistants, and was a teerqa etarodale bna Inlitunod teor Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard were presented with a number of beautiful and useful resente, among which were an elabo ately carved extension dining-room able and a large quantity of linen and ilverware. The guests included N. T. Watson, W. P. Shade, W. F. Busher, J. Rike, Geo. Quimby, Henry Beik, W. Z Walmsley, F. O. Damtow, R. J. Stratton S. Humphrey, W. Frederick, M. W. Stoddard and their wives; Mrs. Elizaeth Walmsley, Misses Susse Yoke, Ony

Freeman and Gordon Damrow. THE SICK LEADER.

James, and Messrs. Harry Fisk, jr., Mar-

tin O'Heran, Charles Walmaley, Charles

Smith, J. C. Hostetler, Will and Charles

ngressman Springer Much Bet-

ter and Entertaining Hopes

of Recovery. Washington, March 4.—There was a marked improvement in Congressman Springer's condition to-day. The chief concern of the ductors is for the enfeebled mental and physical condiion of the patient. They fear nervous prostration, and are doubtful as to the strength of Mr. Springer to bring him through if this takes place. But the ness in the mind of the sick man has given them considerable confidence, and it is believed that a refreshing sleep will do more than anything else towards bringing him back to health

and strength. A hacking cough, which more re-A nacking cough, which more re-sembles a spasm, keeps the patient weak and has produced extreme ner-vousness on his part. Early this morning he slept for a short time, but ittle refreshment resulted. However, the success which has attended the efforts of the physicians in keeping the erysipelas from attacking Mi Springer's brain has removed the chief cause for concern, and the greatest reliance in his recovery is placed in the patient's optimistic nature

Still Improving.

WASHINGTON, March 4. — At 10:30 to-night the improvement of this morning in Mr. Springer's condition still continued, and the patient is ap-parently progressing favorably. No further news is expected to be given

Real Estate Sales Barnard Connor to Ruth B. Hunt, the southwest quarter of the northeast quar-ter and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, all in 29, 16, 2 east; 80 acres in South Wheatland township

Mary B. Grant to Frank S. Dodd, the north half of lot 7 block 2, of the North addition to Decatur—\$1,300.

Honora Ryen to D. W. Branneman, the north-new country of the continues. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, W. H. Pethallegon, pastor, bervices Grand Opera House at 10 45 a, m. and 7 bergard Church for the broad 7

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL. Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells sup Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells supt west mainst be cut them.

Our ter of Macon street and Haworth avenue Simday school at 2 p. m. R. J. Simpson, Supt D. B. CENTENARY CHURCH.

4.38 North Breadway. J. A. F. King, pastor Class meeting at 3.30 a. m. Peaching at 10 a a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2.30 p. m. T. H. Ruthrauft supt. Morning subject: "May a terry, the Background of Knowledge," Evening subject: "Main, a Responsible Free Acent" There will be meetings ench evening during the week, commencing at 7.30 o'clock, excep Saluritay evening Edward J. Moore to David N. Moore, 5 acres in the northwest quarter of 10, 16, 2 east; in Decatur township—\$4,200.

Henry F. May, S. D. May and William Traver to John L. Ebert, deed to lot 5, blook 3. May Bros. & Traver's subdivision—\$850.

on—3500.

Henry A. Wood to Frances J. Dills, deed to lots 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, block 10, Walnut Grove addition—\$550.

The Largest Dog in the World. Stet on's Uncle Tom's Cabin company olaims tais honor. The dog in question veighs 203 pounds, stands 35 inche high to the shoulder, and measures 7 feet from tip to tip, and cost Mr. Stetson \$1,000. He was originally the propert of the Czar of Russia and was presented by him to Miss Marguerite Fish, the well known actress, and sold by her to Mr Brandenburg of museum fame, and was exhibited by him in all the leading cities laily in the monater street parade given by the company, which will exhibit at the Grand next Thursday night

To morrow will be communion day at Brace M. E. church. It is specially deared that all members of that church be resent. Interest in the revival services at this church, under the direction of Dr. Oneal, has steadily increased from the beginning. The congregations have grown until the room is packed at every evening service. The meetings will doubtless be continued next week.

A New Industry. Mr. A. M. Reevee is about to start new industry in Decatur, at 123 East Main street. He is the manager of the Columbia Cab company, which will engage extensively in the manufacture of the novelty folding baby carriages, the best selling article in the market.

THE People's party is now said to be looking to ward Judge Walter Q. Gresham as a Presidential candidate.

BURNED TO A CRISP DRESS * GOODS!

The Awful Fate That Overtook

Two Alleged Firebugs

Brother Burned to Death-The

Matter to be Investigated.

St. Louis, March 5 .- God has pur

shed us! God has found a place t

ounish us at last'''

punish us at last."

Over and over again Mrs. Mareus
Cohen mouned these words and wrung
her hands as she watched the seething
flames that had burned her husband
and has healthen is here the death.

The holocaust occurred at 2744 Chor

The holocoust occurred at 234 Chor teau avenue at 315 o'eleck yesterday morning. The clothing store of Mar-cus Cohen was burned out, and Abra ham Cohen, brother of Marcus, was burned to a cinder in the flames. Mar-

cus was so badly burned that he died few hours later at the City hospital.

A terrific explosion that arou

sleeping citizens for blocks around in augurated the fire. The explosion was

of such force that the entire front of the first story of the building wa

blown out, and the heavy doors were hurled across the street, while the

wall of the store was forced out a d

tance of three inches.

The cause of the catastrophe has no

as yet been fully revealed, but circum-stantial evidence points strongly in the direction of incendiarism, and W. C.

Butler, adjuster for the insurance com panies in which Mr. Cohen had poli

les, states that he will make a full in

restigation of the matter, fully believ

The Cuhen store is a two and one

half-story brick structure, 60 feet long

by 25 feet wide. The second floor was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cohen, their three children and Abe

Cohen, Mr. Cohen's brother, a young

were unharmed by the flames though

badly shaken by the explosion. Every-thing in the first story was destroyed. Abe Cohen was found by the fire

men in the fore end of the store burned into a black and shapeloss mass. His

legs were burned off. Nothing remained of the head but a black ball.
Only stumps of the arms were left.
The corpse was removed to the morque.
Every inch of skin was burned from

Marcus Cohen's body. His suffering were awful. Nevertheless he retained

consciousness while his wounds were

dressed with oil in an adjacent gro cery by Dr. Meyer. He kept contin

ually calling for his brother, but would answer no question as to the cause of

he fire. He was removed to the City

ospital, where he died shortly before

noon. It is supposed that he carried the secret of the fire with him to the grave. There will, however, he some

nteresting test mony given at the

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

OURISTIAN CHURCH.

Edmund Street Chapel --Sunday School 9 a. m

mainted street Chapet - Sunday School S.A. m. Friest M. E. GBURGH.
Classes at S.A. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. James wither, at the solid Friest of Christian Company of the Street Street of Christian C

Y. M. C. A. Hospel meeting for men only at 3-30 o new rooms over "Cheap Charlle's."

PINST BAPTIST CHURCH

the week, commencing at 7-30 o'clock, excessaluritay evening congression of Clunch and Ekorado streets. It w. C. Aither, paster Morning service at 10-Mr. S. H. Merdaman, a converted Ameen from Asia Minor, will speak in the mornic Subject; "Rediguoja Life of the Mohammeda and Mission Work in Turkey. The paster w speak in the evening; Subject; "Let Us Alone Sunday school at 9-16 a. m. Y. P. S. C. K. 5-16 p. m.

Sinday school at 9 is a. in.

8:16 p. m.

CHARNTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Shuday school at 3 p. m. Rooms 14 and 17

second flor, west rout of Festion block. Chritian science explanation of the Internation
Sunday school lessons. All interested are core

ally invited.

GRACH M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. St. H. Oneal, D. D., nastor, all preach
at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p.
m. Morning subject. "The Festival of Redemp-tion," followed by Sacrament of the Lord's Sup-per. Evening subject: 'God Banishod," fol-lowed by revival service.

Mission Sunday school, 9 n. m., corner North
Broadway and Herkimer Sts., W. W. Oneal,
Sunt.

Supt.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH.
On Spring avenue. Rev. G. M. Moore paston
Service at 1a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Mornin
theme: "The Sinner's Refuge." In the even
in Rev. W. H Fox of Mayliell. Ky., will preach
Theme: "Coming Out From Among the Wicked
—Il Cor. 817. All are cordially nivited. Seat
free. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST ENGLISH EVNG. LUTHERAN, Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services 10:30 1. and 2 p. m. Preaching by the pasto unitar school at 9:16 a. m.

suntay school at 9:15 a.m.

Services held at the Presbyterian church
Prairie avenue at 3:30 p.m. in charge of M
Motitooh, G. W. Battles will give a short to
ob: "Early Impressions." All are cordially i
vited.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS

Special meeting of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F & A. M., this (Saturday) evening at 7 o'clock for work in the First degree, WM. L. HAMMER, See'y.

nest to-day.

ing the fire was incendiary.

man of 21 years. The

and her brother-in-law to death.

WHO WERE PLAYING FOR INSURANCE

and Consumed-Himself and His

For the Spring Season, 1892.

We are now showing RARE AND BEAUTI-FUL STYLES in NEW SPRING WOOL FABRICS, comprising

The New Crepon Cloth, Elegant Bedford Cords, Vigoreaux Chevrons and Crepes, Birdseye and Beige Bedfords, Gloriosas and Silk Warp Henriettas, Serges. Whipcords and Bengalines, Plain and Jacquard Henriettas. New Tweeds and Cheviots, Paris Novelty Pattern Dresses. In all the Latest, Choicest and Richest Designs and Colors.

> We also show a Complete Stock of the Celebrated

B. PRIESTLY & CO., Bradford, England, ***BLACK DRESS GOODS, ***

STANDARD SILK WARPS And All Wool Fabrics.

The Celebrated "Centemeri" Kid Gloves and Butterick's Patterns and Publications.

OUR ANNUAL INVOICE

Will progress with no interference with the regular course of business.

OUR CUSTOMERS

Will find out that we serve them as quickly and efficiently as ever. In the meantime our prices, of course, remain beyond compari-

Lower than those of any other Shoe House in Central Illinois.

148 EAST MAIN ST.

VOLU

TH

The

RACE

NE

On Will p ON

Cor **20** pie Spr Pric

20 pie eve **12** pie er.e: **15** piec

> Spr 30c **4**0 piec 15c

28 piec **25** doze A Large

40 piece The ab

NE Remem